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MERCHANT TOKEN

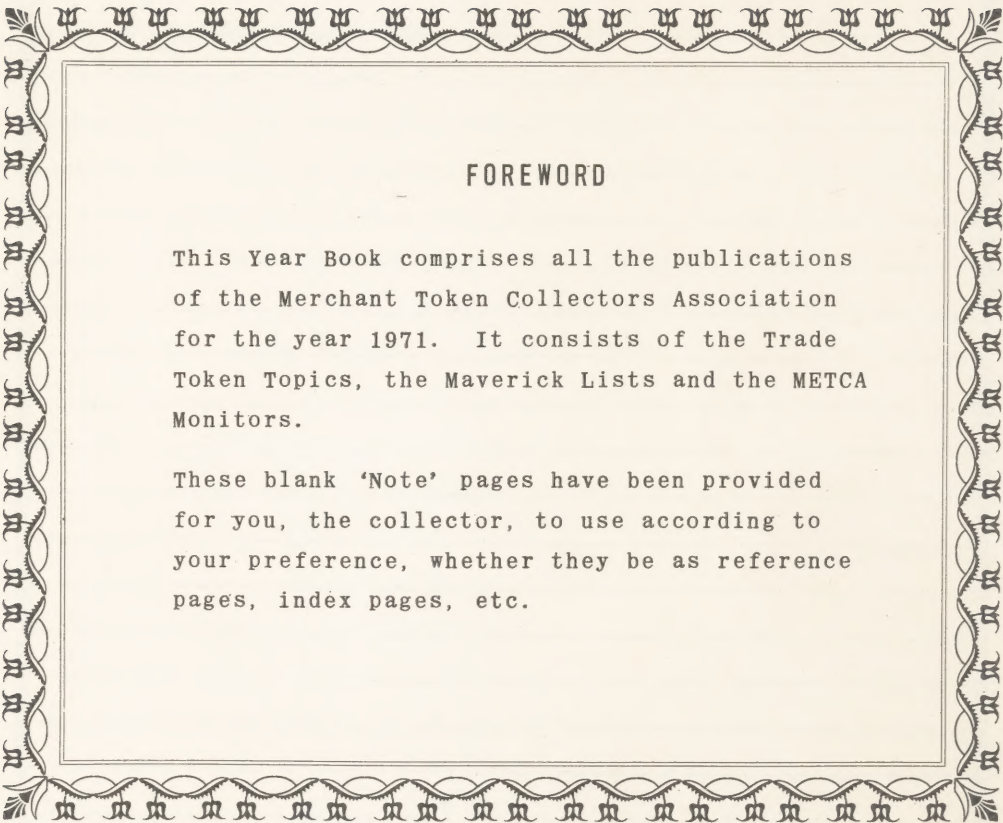


COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION



1971





FOREWORD

This Year Book comprises all the publications of the Merchant Token Collectors Association for the year 1971. It consists of the Trade Token Topics, the Maverick Lists and the METCA Monitors.

These blank 'Note' pages have been provided for you, the collector, to use according to your preference, whether they be as reference pages, index pages, etc.

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EDITOR AND PUBLISHER NOTES

Happy New Year to all of you from METCA. We hope your new year brings you new token discoveries and new local history that goes with each discovery.

The separate pink sheet enclosed with Trade Token Topics is the METCA membership roster as of December, 20, 1970. (More have joined since then.) If there are any mistakes in this list, let us know right away so we can correct them. A good cross section of the United States is represented here. Incidentally, John Cheramy, 517 West Pender St., Vancouver 2, B.C. Canada, is a member who might be interested in any Canadian tokens found in the U.S.

For those METCA members who belong to local or state clubs and organizations, it might be a good idea to scan the roster for members in your area so you can invite them to your next meeting.

Beginning next month we will begin working with a maverick list. It's easy to print a good clear rubbing of a token, so if you want, send us good clear rubbings of your mavericks, plus their descriptions.

We have extra copies of the Dedication and Christmas issue. If anyone wants a spare, or two, let us know and we will mail them to you. Beginning next month we will leave more margin on the left side of the publication as was suggested recently so you can put them in binders if you want to.

Membership cards are also enclosed with this issue, if you didn't get yours let us know.

Many thanks for your support of this new organization.

George Gould, P.O. Box 1432, Everett, WA 98102

Ray Nadreau 1843 N.W. 201, Seattle, WA 98177

KENDALL BALLARD'S KANE MAVERICK

The interesting story on an aluminum Maverick was submitted by Kendall Ballard of Rexburg, Idaho. The piece was found in St. Anthony, Idaho. (It is listed as #STAN-20 in Schell's catalog of Idaho tokens.) Kendall tapped his favorite source of local information concerning the history.

John Kane played baseball for the Chicago Whitesox. After the great "Baseball Scandal" of the teens, he and four other players settled in St. Anthony, Kane marrying a local girl and opening a pool hall. One of the other players moved to Blackfoot, and eventually the other three returned to the East. Kane, through his promotions (as well as some pocket money side bets) made local baseball as exciting as in any major league city. He died in 1934 and is buried in the St. Anthony City Cemetery



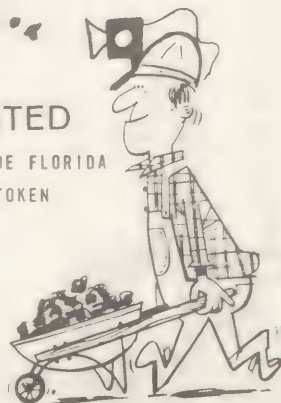
Editor's Note: It is interesting to note that this is the largest 10¢ piece I have seen. Perhaps Mr. Kane did everything in a big way.

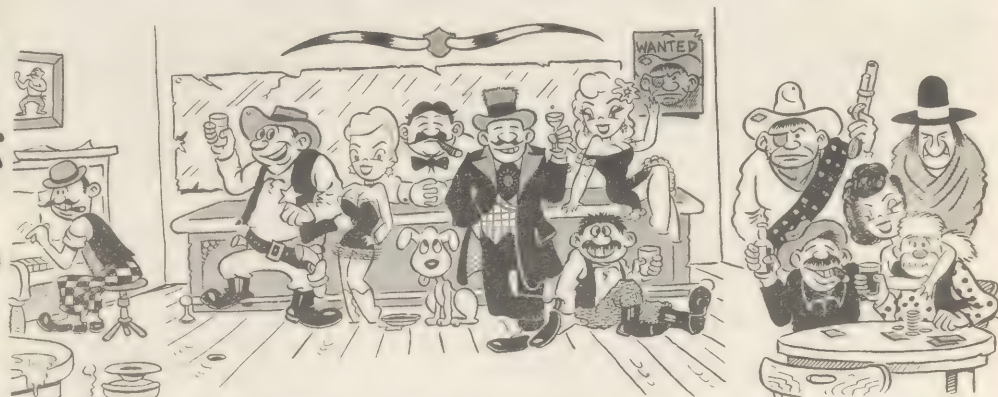
COAL MINE SCRIPT TOKENS WANTED

ANY STATE, ALSO VA. TRADE TOKENS. WILL BUY OR TRADE FLORIDA
2 DIFFERENT OR PA. HOSPITAL RADIO TOKEN. TOKEN FOR TOKEN



FRANK M. BEAM, 209 LAUREL AVE. PITTSBURGH PA 15202





SALOON TOKENS WANTED

WILL BUY OR TRADE. WHAT IS YOUR INTEREST ?

ALSO IN THE MARKET FOR OREGON TRADE TOKENS

Lee Stradley Box 1716 Vancouver, Wash., 98663

COLLECT TRANSPORTATION TOKENS?

TRADE BUY AND SELL THEM
THROUGH THE AMERICAN
VECTURIST ASSOCIATION (AVA)

Contact John Nicolosi
3002 Galindo St,
Oakland, Calif., 94601
For details.



CLASSIFIEDS

Wanted - Iowa items. Merchant Tokens or what have you. Will swap or buy. Phil Chinitz, 511 East 5th St., Atlantic, Iowa., 50022

Have one each V.G. and A.U., 28mm alum. token THE BONANZA SALOON/DADEVILLE/ALA./GOOD FOR/12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢/IN TRADE/ Guaranteed authentic "forever" for best offer in cash or Okla. trade tokens. Please send S.A.E. if answer required. J. Litchenberg, P.O. Box 285, Claremore, Oklahoma 74017

Midwest Tokens - May have tokens from your state, will swap for tokens from Indiana I need. Ron Vore, P.O. Box 221, Bluffton, Ind., 46714.

Wanted - Trade tokens from Washington, Alaska, and Hawaii also saloon tokens from any state with town or town/state. Have tokens from most every state to trade, or will purchase. Forrest Dunham, 201 N. 107th, Seattle, Washington, 98133.

Have many kinds of tokens to trade, for transportation, parking and Minn. trade tokens. What is your interest?? Let's try and trade. Gordon Wold, R#1, Box 140, Princeton, Minn., 55371

Wanted - Coal mine script tokens and related items. Frank M. Beam, 209 Laurel Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., 15202

Chinese-American tokens. Booklet with latest on these items. Five pages of photos, over 40 pieces cataloged. Price \$2.00 while they last. One Chinese/American Masonic token with each copy free. R.F. Herberg, 413 Hillside Blvd., Daly City, CA., 94014

Wanted - Trade tokens from Illinois. Have many trade and transportation tokens to trade, or will buy. Ore H. Vacketta, Box 3, Westville, Ill., 61883

Wanted - Oregon merchant money: transportation, wooden money, depression script, trade & merchant tokens of Oregon. Also one trade token (with town & state) from towns of bordering states. James Millard, 4004 S.E. 170th Ave., Portland, Oregon.

Wanted - Tokens picturing eagles, any type, any metal. Will buy or trade. Jack Meeker, 12638 14th Ave. So., Seattle, Wash. 98168.

Wanted - Montana trade tokens and early advertising buttons. Have early U.S. stamps and trade checks from about 20 states to trade. George F. Gould P.O. Box 1432 Everett, Washington 98201



WANTED!!

ALASKA MERCHANT TOKENS

BUY - SELL - TRADE
(MISSOURI TOO!!)

Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo., 63118

CLASSIFIEDS

Wanted-W.Va. tokens, also coal, lumber, supply co. tokens from any state. Buy or Trade. Have tokens from most states. Will also trade for tokens from other states. C. Ross - 506 Market - Spencer, W.Va. 25276
NEW HAVEN, CONN. Brass and Aluminum Whelan's Grill 10¢. Tokens struck in 1930'S several die varieties exist. One brass and one aluminum \$1.50 ten pieces for \$5.00. B. Altman - 190 Lakeshore Rd. - Brighton, Mass., 02135 (ANA, ANS, YAMS). Will trade for Canadian merchant tokens I need.
Wanted - Trade Tokens from Alaska, Illinois. Also need civil war store cards, nice singles or in quantity, and any advertising pocket mirrors. Thomas L Wall - Box 193 - Wood River, Illinois 62095
Wanted - All Virginia tokens needed in my collection. Will buy, or have other tokens to trade. Also want early transportation tokens. David E. Schenkman, P.O. Box 16122, Suitland, Maryland 20023
Merchant Tokens to trade for same from any state. Write J. Blake Godfrey 208 W. 5th St. Aberdeen, Washington 98520
Pennsylvania Merchant Tokens Wanted - Have other states to trade. Also other types, such as Military, Civil War, Depression Slugs and many others. Please write H. Aqua, 487 Bennett Street, Luzerne, Pennsylvania 18709
Wanted - Colorado, North Dakota trade tokens. U.S. transportation tokens. Stereoscope views of Colorado towns. Lee Nott 139-B Waverly Way Minot AFB, North Dakota 58701
Wanted - Washington Tokens also odd denominations, odd good fors', dated tokens. Trade. Can supply Washington traders plus many other tokens. Doug Rice, Rt 1 Box 595E, Montesano, Washington 98563
WANTED - TEXAS Saloon, Trade, Parking and Transportation Tokens. Have some to trade or will purchase. H.D. Conner. 1604 Blue Bonnet Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76111
Tokens Wanted - Transportation, Parking, Military, Car Wash, California and Nevada Trade Tokens. Some of the above available in trade. J.G. Nicolosi, 3002 Galindo Street, Oakland, California 94601 - McCargers Saloon Token for Trade
WANT NEVADA TRADE TOKENS - Will buy or trade. Also have California, Idaho and Arizona tokens to trade for Nevada tokens. W.V. Wright, 220 South Bruce, Las Vegas, Nev., 89101
WANTED - Texas Tokens and Military. Will buy for cash or trade tokens for them. I have thousands of tokens - some from every state. Capt. John Palmer, P.O. Drawer 1363, Nederland, Texas 77627
WANTED - Rarer Lumber Company tokens of Oregon, Washington and California. Also want one token of each Washington town I do not have. Have a little of almost everything to trade. Bill Clapper, P.O. Box 449, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, 57101
I want a trade token from Mosier, Oregon (My Birthplace). Will buy or trade most anything for same. Also want saloon tokens - must contain town and state - buy or trade. Lee Stradley, Box 1761, Vancouver, Washington 98663
For Trade: Saloon tokens, scarce Oregon and Washington, transportation and other states tokens, many military. Have an Arizona Terr. and Washington Terr. Saloon for trade, I need California tokens. Ship or write Chriss Christiansen, Box 651, Cupertino, CA 95014.
I collect tokens from towns of Columbia and Walla Walla Counties in Washington State; especially Dayton, Huntsville, Starbuck, Waitsburg and Touchet. Will buy or trade. Barry Bender 756 N. 74th Seattle, Washington 98103
Wanted - Articles written about merchant tokens from METCA members. I will trade a half page box ad in Trade Token Topics for same. Ray Nadreau, 1843 N.W. 201, Seattle, Washington 98177

VIRGINIA TOKEN BOOK

David Schenkman, P.O. Box 16122, Suitland, Md., 20023 writes us that he is in the process of writing a book on all types of Virginia tokens along with any known history of same. He would like to hear from anyone owning Virginia tokens.

TOKENS AND MEDALS FOR SALE

Montana Political Piece 1\$ size Alum. 1892 ..\$2.00
 Prince Edw. Isl. Bronze 1857 Briton #919\$3.00
 William Penn Medal- Brass 25¢ size Portrait
 and Seal - Pennsylvania Bicentennial 1882 ...\$1.00
 Advertizer - Brass 50¢ size The Celluloid
 Starch Co. New Haven, Conn. (Circa 1915)\$2.50
 Phillipine - Medal 5¢ size - bronze- Manila
 Souvenir-1898,1988-Pin soldered on back rev.B 2.50
 Souvenir, 125th Annaversery Boston Evacuation
 Day 1901 Bronze 1\$ size with scene\$2.00
 Early French Piece with Portrait Pepin Roy
 50¢ size Bronze Lustre\$3.00
 Cyrus McCormick Medal 50¢ size brass.....\$2.50
 Calif. Political Piece-Brass J.T. Newell
 Incumbent Obv. has state seal 50¢ size\$1.75
 Navy League of Canada-1946 Golden Jubilee
 Destroyer on rev. very thick bronze, 50¢ size 2.50
 KKK Piece, Scroll & Crown-Duty-rev. has
 symbol and latin phrase bronze 50¢ size.....\$4.50
 Japanese Good Luck Charm-hole-sterling
 silver 25¢ size\$3.50
 Trans-Mississippi Exposition-Omaha-1898
 Portrait 1\$ size brass HK#282\$3.50
 Pan-Amer. Expo. Buffalo, N.Y. 1901 10¢ size
 Brass - holed rev. Elec. City\$2.50
 Dominion Exhibition Brandon, Manitoba
 McCullough Drug Store 50¢ size Brass\$3.50
 British Empire Exhib. 1925 Medal
 1\$ size Bronze\$2.50
 Unlisted Canada 1st Worlds Grain Exhib. &
 Conference-Regina-1933 Scenes 50¢ size Bronze 6.00
 Cristopher Columbus Medal Portrait & Santa
 Maria Brass 50¢ size 1893\$2.00
 Patriotic Cent. Constitution Forever-
 Bronze- obv. #247 rev. #377\$1.75
 Yosemite National Park- 50th Annaversery
 Piece-1966 50¢ size Brass\$1.50
 San Francisco Golden Gate Int. Exp. 1930
 All 50¢ Brass.
 (a) rev. China Clipper-holed\$1.50
 (b) rev. Treasure Island(H-K#481).....\$2.00
 (c) rev. Pledge of Allegience (reeded)....\$5.00
 Coronado Cuarto Centennial 1941 Kansas-
 White Metal-5¢-Pony Express unc.\$1.25
 Hanover Token 5¢ size Brass #dd unc.\$3.50
 Hanover obv. 5¢ size Brass
 rev. J Longworth 2nd\$1.50
 Model Penny B.M.C. #2090\$7.50
 Same. White Metal Insert\$4.50

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RESTRICKES

We at METCA wish to state that any token listed in an ad that is, or is suspected of being, a restrickes, must be listed as such.

From comments already received this seems to be a fairly new endeavor by a few industrious individuals. Once these gain a foothold in our hobby, unpleasant circumstances are bound to crop up.

Any member who feels he has acquired one in exchange for a good trader, is invited to submit it for determination. We have members within our ranks, with excellent up-to-date die-sinker reference material at hand to help us. I have seen modern pieces, set out in the sun to artificially age or tone them, passed off as early pieces. I know of a collector who bought a set of such items, and was so discouraged at finding this out, he dropped out of collecting completely. I wish never to see this happen again, and wish to provide this aforementioned service of METCA.

Lest we rush to our 2 X 2's in haste, bear in mind there are modern pieces, as well as very well preserved early pieces. I myself have a 70 year old octagonal proof-like aluminum piece that looks like it was made this morning, yet it came out of a trunk that was not opened for 43 years ! CAVEAT EMPTOR. and good hunting!

George Gould

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER NOTES

We want to thank you for the response to our request for articles on tokens. Some very interesting items were received this past week which will appear in coming issues of Trade Token Topics.

A corrected Page 1 and an additional Page 2 of the METCA roster is enclosed with this issue. We would also welcome comments from METCA members regarding the format of the enclosed Maverick List. We feel each month should be separately devoted to a type of Maverick, such as name and address only in one issue, type of Maverick in the next issue, Saloon names in the next, Pool Halls the next, etc. Let us know your feelings on this.

George Gould
Ray Nadreau

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING TOKEN & MEDAL IMPRESSION BOARDS

by WILLIAM H. CLAPPER

You will need: $\frac{1}{4}$ th Yard of felt: 2 hardwood boards 4'' wide by 8'' long; 4 screw type clamps and some carpet tacks.

Instructions: Cut the felt in half and fold each piece several times in order to get from 4 to 6 thicknesses.

Next, take each folded piece and tack one end to the end of the board. Pull tight and tack to the other end of the board. Repeat the same process with the other board.

You are now ready to make impressions. Fold a sheet of paper in half and wet thoroughly under the water faucet. Lay the paper over the felt pad of one of the boards (the other half of the paper should temporarily lay over the other felt padded board). Now lay your tokens or medals on the wet paper and fold the other half of the paper over the top of the tokens or medals. Now lay the other board (felt side against the paper) over the tokens. Clamp each corner tight and allow the impressions to set and dry (about 15 to 25 minutes).

Next you will need some crushed pencil lead (I use charcoal chalk).

When you have opened the impression. boards you will have perfect impressions. While you will raise only the top board at first you will reverse the procedure. Raise the top board and dip your finger in the crushed pencil lead or chalk and rub over the top of the paper (do not remove the tokens or medals - - they must be in place to get proper rubbings). Once you have rubbed the lead over the top place the board back over the tokens or medals and holding tight turn the boards over. Now you will be raising the top board (which was the bottom board) and again rubbing crushed lead over the impressions.

Now you can remove the medals or tokens and you have your impressions.



Publishers Note: I lightly rubbed the above impressions that Bill sent me with a Colitho pencil (available at any art store). The resultant rubbing was so clear that I was able to use it as line copy from which an offset printing plate was made.

For those of you who are looking for an inexpensive way to illustrate books and catalogs, this method will eliminate cost of halftone photography and can be done by any "Quick Print" shop. These shops are in almost any city and will do business by mail.

Ray Nadreau

SPECIALIZED TOKENS

One of the many types of tokens collected by specialized collectors are pieces related to transportation but not used for such!!



The first illustration is a piece that was used on the Pennsylvania and Reading Railroad as a pillow check.



The second piece was perhaps used for parking free, after a gasoline purchase nearby; or vice-versa.



The third piece was used by a Mr. Nichols, who obviously had some very large showrooms in his stores. The big question here was, how many could you turn in for an automobile down payment ?



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WANTED - Rarer Lumber Company Tokens of Oregon, Washington and California. Also want one token of each Washington town I do not have. Have a little of almost everything to trade.

Bill Clapper, P.O. Box 449, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, 57101.

WANTED - Merchants Tokens and Transportation Tokens from Missouri. Also Depue Merchants ¼¢ Token from Depue, Ill.

Jerry Bates, Box 777, St. Charles, Mo. 63301.

WANTED - Idaho Tokens. Must have town, State. Have Washington, Oregon tokens to trade. Also Need Masonic penny tokens. Send list and price.

John Calhoun, Box 23, Cataldo, Idaho, 83810.

Wanted - Minnesota Trade Tokens and Minnesota Mirror Cards. Have many Tokens and Mirrors Available for trade.

Calvin C. Woods, 449 Meadow Lane North, Minneapolis, Minn., 55422

WANTED - Nevada Trade Tokens, Mirrors and Wooden Nickels. Have many Tokens to trade from Western States or will pay cash.

J. L. McPheeters, 472 W. Monterey Ave., Stockton, Calif., 95204.



UNUSUAL TOKENS WANTED

FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WEST

Trade tokens from Oregon, Washington, Montana, California, North Dakota, New Mexico, Texas and a few others.

Lumber tokens of the West. Mining tokens of the West.

Movie tokens, Carnival, Circus, Magician, Theater, any entertainment tokens. No coal tokens from the East.

More mail traders.

Have large trading stock and very little money, but will be glad to trade or buy, as you wish. Fast answer to any letter

CLANCY RIGGS

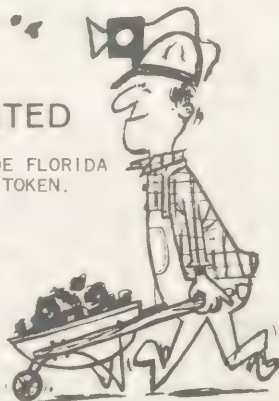
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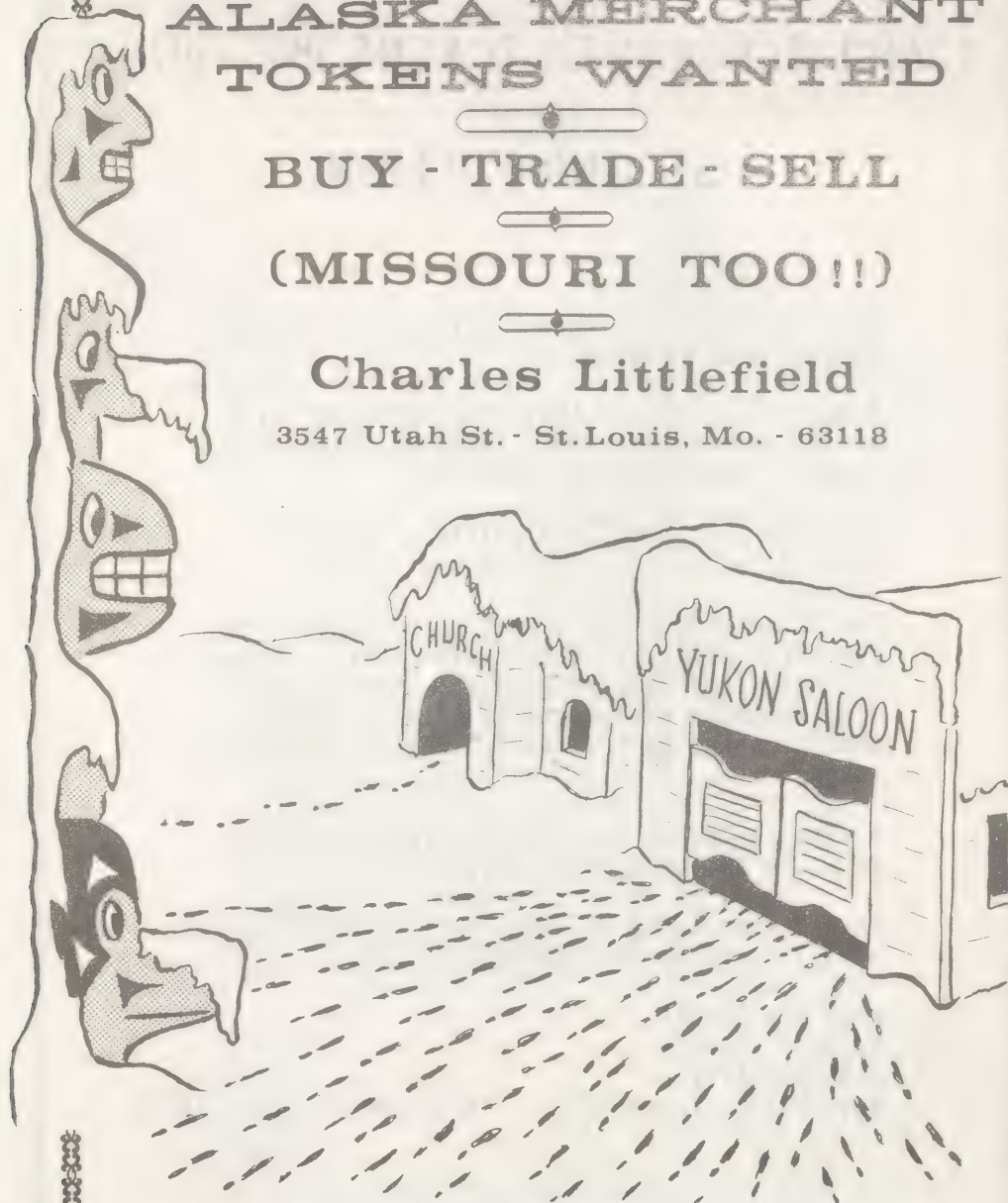
WANTED - Colorado Trade Tokens. Have tokens from most states. Write and let me know what Colo's you have. Paul W. Stewart, 3356 Leyden, Denver Colo. 80207.
TRADE my Eagle Pool Hall (several varieties) and Klamath Billiards (several varieties), all from Klamath Falls, or merchant tokens I don't have from any state. Also have mavericks from Malin, Oregon. Bruce Kielsmeier, 1745 Eldorado, Klamath Falls, Oregon, 97601.
WANTED - Coal Company Tokens and Florida Tokens. Have coal, merchants, transportation and other tokens to exchange. C. R. Clark, P.O. Box 13331, St Petersburg, Florida, 33733.
AMUSEMENT TOKENS WANTED - (Pinball, Arcade, Free Play, Initials, Vendors, etc.) No duplicates. I have tokens or coins for trade, or will pay 3 to 10¢ each. Stephen Alpert, 11106 National Blvd. # 1, Los Angeles, Calif., 90064.
CATALOGING Montana Merchant Tokens. Would appreciate lists of all Montana pieces in the hands of members. Also wish pieces for photographing only. Postage and thanks returned promptly. Geo. F. Gould, P.O. Box 1432, Everett, WA. 98201.
MY UNION TRUST CO. One Tray/Carthage, Mo. c/s CSA (Strawberry Picker Token) Round Alum. for Missouri Token I can use. Have 10 trades. Rosemary Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo. 63118.
FOR SALE - Silas Bass Guns - Gen. Mdse. Keota Indian Terr. 1890 Brass Tokens 5 - 10 - 25 - 50¢ - \$1.00 Very Rare F-VF \$90.00 Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo., 63118
WANTED - Civil War Sutler tokens; Virginia tokens of all kinds: Railroad tokens good for drinking cups, meals, pillows, etc; early transportation tokens. David Schenkman, P.O. Box 16122, Suitland, Md. 20023.
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WANTED - British Columbia and Yukon Tokens, etc. Leslie Hill, Box 662, New Westminster, B.C., CANADA
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I would like to hear from any member who has tokens for trade. I have merchant tokens, Civil War, Hard Times tokens, etc. for trade. Charles Ross - 506 Market St. - Spencer, W. Va. 25276
MICHIGAN COLLECTOR - Interested in trading for Michigan Tokens and Michigan Railroad odds and ends. Want lumber company tokens from all over United States. Pete Buehler, 315 N. Simons, Cadillac, Michigan, 49601
WANTED - Saloon tokens & beer tokens any state. Have some Minn & Iowa tokens to trade, also horse-drawn street car token from Minneapolis. Charles Robinson, Box 114, Austin, Minn., 55912.
WANTED TO BUY - Any merchant tokens from Ohio needed for my collection. My personal token free for SAE. John A. Backora, Box 53, Flushing, Ohio, 43977
NORTHWEST TOKEN COLLECTORS - Don't miss the Grays Harbor Tenth Anniversary Coin Show Feb. 19, 20, 21, 1971 at the Aberdeen V.F.W. Hall, 105 E. Heron St. Aberdeen, Wash. Different GOOD FOR 25¢ IN TRADE AT ANY TABLE token given with each paid admission each day. Token buy, trade, sell session at 9:00 PM Sat night. Len D. Carney, 720 W. Heron, Aberdeen, Wash. 98520

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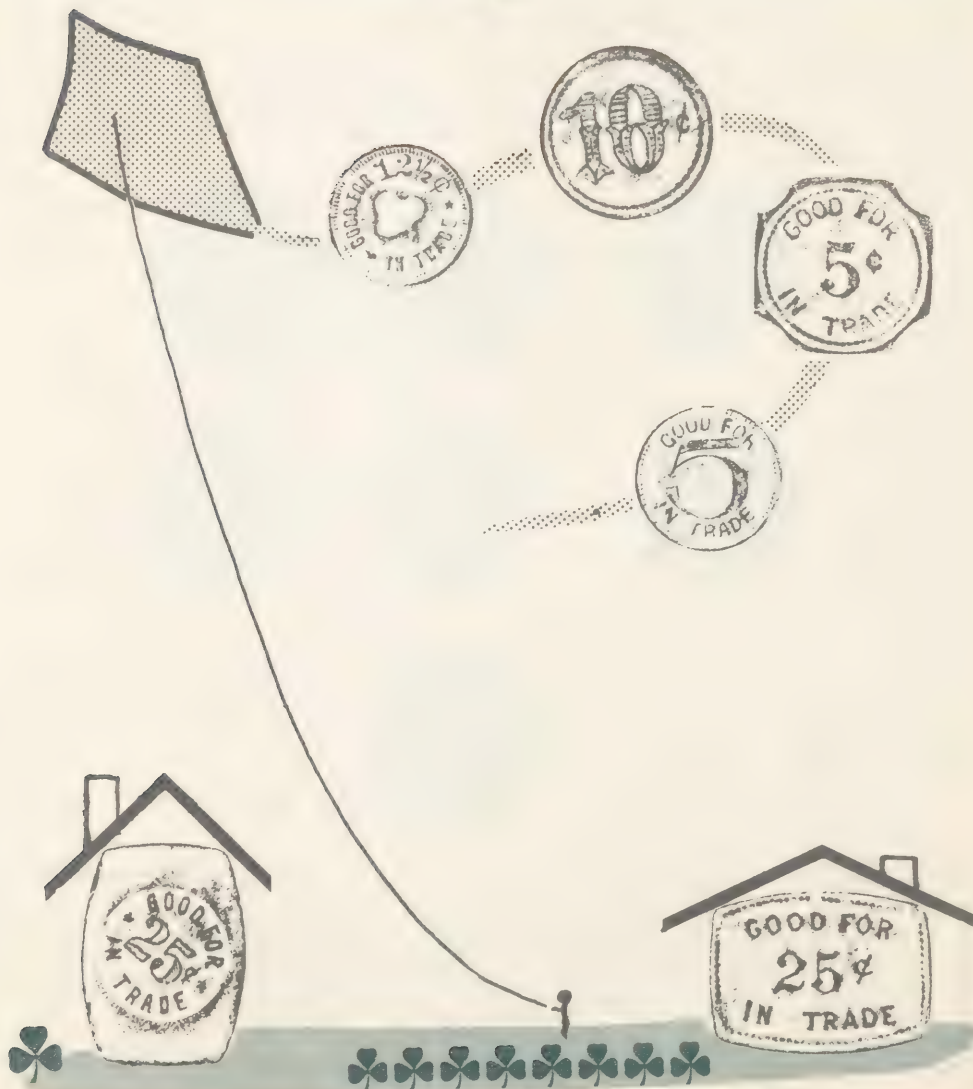
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EDITOR'S NOTES

At this time I would like to thank the many members who wrote letters to Ray and me voicing their encouragement of our endeavor.

I might elaborate a little on Ethics at this point. Please don't send unsolicited tokens to members unless return postage (at least) is included. Rubbings and impressions serve the same purpose nicely. Many experienced collectors acquire a few grey hairs when they receive a scarce piece uninsured, uncertified and unregistered through the mail. It takes just one lost piece to cause problems. The U.S. Postal Service is not infallible. Also please be reasonable on trades. Token for token, an old filigree 5¢ piece is worth more than a later made \$1.00 piece, usually because of the quantities made as well as the nostalgia connected with the older pieces. If I sound like a young grouch, it's because I'm not an old grouch yet.

Being an old vecturist (bus token collector) I would be happy to furnish details on the A.V.A. Convention, knowing many of you merchant token collectors also collect bus tokens.

George Gould

All you Michigan area members be sure and attend the Michigan/TAM's show in Livonia, Michigan March 27th. For details contact: Ray Olson, METCA #101, 32137 Oakley, Livonia, Michigan, 48154

INCUSE AND UNIFACE

It seems that there are quite a few token collectors who do not know the meaning of the word "incuse" when reading token descriptions. Perhaps the tokens illustrated here will explain. A token with "incuse" lettering on it signifies that all or portions of the wording are stamped or cut into the surface of it, rather than raised, as in most tokens. Most incuse tokens are of a standard die, with the denomination in the center being in raised letters, as in most of these specimens, courtesy of Frank Beam. These tokens are all uniface pieces, meaning they have a blank reverse or wording on one side only.



Note: Since these tokens are all mavericks, we are sure Mr. Beam would appreciate any information leading to their identity.

“GIMME TWO SKIGGERS”

BY CALVIN C. WOODS

Several years ago, while rummaging through a mess of trade checks found in an old tavern, I came upon an old brass token issued by one Karl G. Ramberg of Rush City, Minnesota. When I read the reverse legend I got quite a shock. Instead of the usual “Good for 5¢ in trade”, it simply read TWO SKIGGERS, and in the center 2S. After mulling this terse statement over for some time I tentatively concluded that this was a saloon-keeper’s private expression for a shot of whisky or the like, as in: “Gimme two skiggers of rye!”

This interpretation was knocked into a cocked hat some months later when I found Karl G. Ramberg listed in the 1901 Polks Directory as operating a GENERAL STORE in Rush City. No saloon-keeper was he. But what in a general store was a SKIGGER? I asked the library, many of my token friends, and my mother, who was raised not ten miles from Rush City at the turn of the century. I drew a complete blank.

I had almost forgotten this little teaser when an office colleague stopped at my desk to ask: “What’s a skigger?” He dropped in my hand a small brass token he had found in an antique shop, knowing that I collected them, and the reverse read simply: ONE SKIGGER, and in the center, 1S. It had been issued by The Peoples’ Store of Parkers Prairie, Minnesota, about 120 miles as the crow flies from Rush City.



The question is still unanswered..What’s a Skigger??



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CATALOGING Montana Merchant Tokens. Would appreciate lists of all Montana pieces in the hands of members. Also wish pieces for photographing only. Postage and thanks returned promptly. Geo. F. Gould, P.O. Box 1432, Everett, WA. 98201
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Jerry Rakoncza, 701 Dundee Way, Stockton, California 95207

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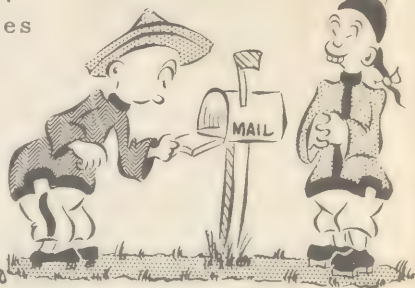
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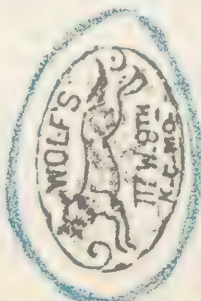
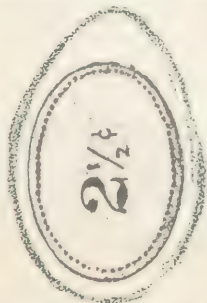
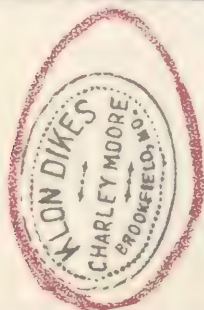
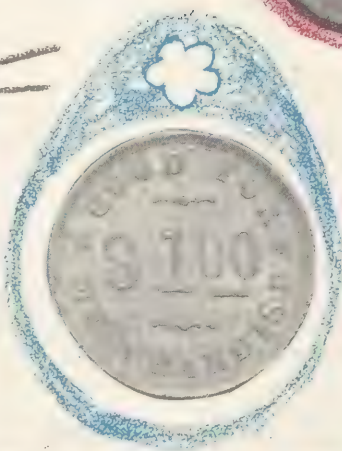
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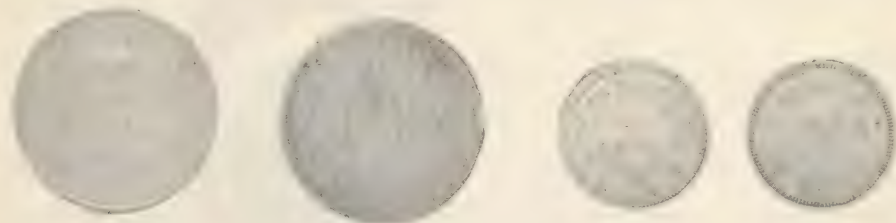
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SALOON ??



It seems any token with the word Saloon on it is hot property these days. Most saloon pieces however, did not have the word "Saloon" on them. Most appear with the words of the proprietor only, or as Clubs, Buffets, Bars, Liquor houses, etc. which at first glance appear as modern words such as tavern, lounge, etc,

An example is R.L. Polk's Butte(Montana) City Directory, 1915, where, under the "Saloon" category at the back I found the following breakdown: 86 Proprietor's names only, 2 Clubs, 6 Hotels, 2 Liquor Houses, 5 Buffets, 2 Proper Names (The Abby, etc), 15 Saloons and 17 Bars.

Note that there were more stated Bars than Saloons! So before unloading that Buffet Token, thinking it was a restaurant with a smorgasbord, check it out; you may have more "Saloon" tokens than you thought.

George Gould

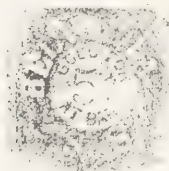
BYRON JOHNSON ON ASSAY COMMISSION

We are pleased that Byron Johnson, METCA No. 21, the Washington State Token Cataloguer, has been appointed to the 18-member United States Assay Commission for 1971.

5,000 PIECE HOARD FOUND

Congratulations are also in order to John Calhoun, METCA No. 88, who found a hoard of 5,000 pieces, mostly amusement checks, but a lot of good ones too. It seems there was a slot machine owner who, while sorting his nickels from his slugs, had a stand pipe in his office, next to his desk. Any oddballs were dropped in the open pipe which was also open under the foundation of the building. 300 pounds of brass slugs alone paid for the find.

HELVETIA S.S. 5¢ TOKEN
by
TOM WALL



Ever jump to conclusions about a maverick? I did with this one. At first glance I thought I had discovered a ship token. Fortunately, the person I obtained it from, knew exactly what it was.

It is from Highland, Illinois, and was issued by the Helvetia Sharp Shooters. This organization once held shooting matches, had a bowling alley, and obviously, a bar. The tokens were used in connection with the bowling alley, but had to be redeemed at the bar.

Why Helvetia? The town of Highland is not a Scotch settlement, as the name would indicate. It was founded in 1831 by Dr. Casper Koepfli, who led a group of people from Suree, Switzerland to Madison County, Illinois. They called their farming settlement New Switzerland. By 1840, when the Post Office was established, the name had become Helvetia, the Latin name for Switzerland. On December 15, 1843, the name was officially changed to Highland. Not because of Scottish influences, but because the site was located at the highest point in Madison County. However, much of the Swiss tradition survived.

This token was in use before 1915, and there could be other varieties to be found. The Helvetia Sharp Shooters still have meetings, although they no longer have shooting matches.

Highland today is far from being a Swiss farming settlement. It is now a small industrial community, and the home of many well known companies.

I am indebted to Mr. Dick Buchman, of Highland (and as any baseball buff would recall, formerly with the St. Louis Federals of the old Federal Baseball League) for the information about the token.

A SKIGGER IS....

We had two fine responses to the article "What's a Skigger?" by Calvin Woods.

Byron Johnson tells us that they were used as push money, or commissions given to store clerks for selling hard-to-sell items. Assuming this to be the case, the skigger tokens were given to store employees to keep track of the skigs or commissions they had earned.

Bill Clapper informs us that Skiggers were used as premiums mostly by General Merchandise stores. A certain amount brought so many Skiggers which could be redeemed when enough were obtained for the premium that the customer wanted. They were generally used in Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Want to buy sell or trade tax tokens?? The American Tax Token Society newsletter is a good medium reaching over 75 members. For details contact Byron Johnson METCA 21 or Jerry Bates METCA 77

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WANTED - Nevada Trade Tokens. Will buy or trade. Will send current casino gaming tokens in trade for older trade tokens. K.V. Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, CA. 93514
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ARIZONA SALOON TOKENS - Paying \$3.50, other Arizona Merchant Tokens \$1.25 or will trade. Have many western merchants. Ship. R. Ainsworth, Box 4688, Tucson, Arizona 85717.
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WANTED - Oregon-Washington tokens, and any lumber token from any state. Will accept mavericks on latter. Will buy or trade. Terry Trantow, P.O. Box 132, Forks, WA. 98331.
AMUSEMENT TOKENS FOR SALE - 15 different for \$2.00 or trade mine for yours. Stephen Alpert, 11106 National Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif., 90064.
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FOR SALE - Merchant Tokens from So. Dak., Iowa, Minn., Nebr., N. Dak. and some from other states. Will trade for tokens I need. Cataloging So. Dak. Would like some new towns and merchant tokens. George Niederauer, 603 West First Ave., Miller, So. Dak. 57362.
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WANTED - Nevada Trade Mirrors and trade tokens from smaller Nevada towns. Will trade or pay cash. J.L. McPheeters, 472 W. Monterey Ave., Stockton, Calif. 95204.

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Will buy or trade for tokens and medals pertaining to Real Estate. Describe and indicate price or trade in first letter. J. Blake Godfrey, 208 W. 5th St., Aberdeen, Wash. 98520

FOR TRADE - George Dudley, Akron, Iowa - 5¢ thru \$1.00, Bi-metal tokens, for Colorado trade tokens I need. Please list your traders! Lee Nott, 139-B Waverly Way, Minot AFB, N.D. 58701

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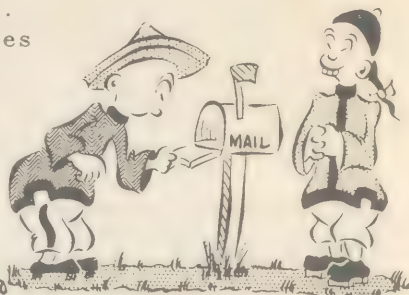
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COLORADO FAKES AND REPRODUCTIONS

By James Andrews

Most Colorado fakes and reproductions were made as tourist souvenirs. As they change hands, eventually, they are offered as authentic material. Collectors should be alerted as attempts have been made to make them look old. The most obvious clue to their origin is the lettering style and token size usually modern. They do not resemble old tokens.

Two aluminum examples are from Tin Cup. They are exact reproductions of tokens used by Sim La Plant & Co. and by Frenchy's Place. It is not likely the collector will acquire an original as they are very rare.

Three fakes from the same source all feature the names of mining companies. Two are redeemable in gold. It never happened that way. Hardrock miners would never accept wages other than in hard cash. Square Dance Mining Co. of Central City, Empire City Mines at Empire, and Eagle Nest Mine from Black Hawk are common and easy to find.

The Palace Hotel Bar at Cripple Creek and Murphy's Saloon from Victor are both imprinted "good for one shot of red eye". Attempts have been made to age the tokens by artificial means. Thousands of both were made.

Leadville's Topic Saloon first opened it's doors in 1890. The fake carries that date. It is a large token made in the modern style.

The first bawdy house token to be faked is the Silver Dollar Hotel example of Denver. Usually offered at high prices, these popular pieces of fakery have been stamped out by the thousands. There are a number of different variations.

Reproductions from Silverton, Red Mountain and possibly other mining camps in that area could turn up. The method of manufacture is obvious. They are castings of originals and meant to be made into cuff links and tie clasps. A few got away and were never used for that purpose.

As new collectors become interested in merchant tokens there will be more attempts to defraud the unwary. Tokens are inexpensive to produce so it is important to recognize material that may be offered. It is unfortunate but is a situation we will have to live with. A constant flow of information between collectors concerning these spurious items will do much to preserve our hobby.

NOTE: This article was selected as one that would be of immediate benefit to the new collectors. More articles of this nature will help all METCA members. Send them in and I will print them. Thanks. Ray Nadreau

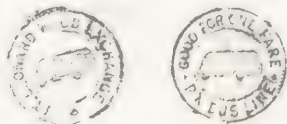
FORT LEONARD WOOD POST EXCHANGE AND NCO CLUB TOKENS AND CHITS

By SSG Ray Bows

Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri was named in honor of General Leonard E. Wood, soldier, statesman, surgeon and medal of honor winner during the Indian wars. Fort Leonard Wood was established as a basic training center in 1940.

During World War II the post exchange issued chits which could be borrowed after the 10th day of the month, the amount being deducted from a man's pay the following payday. The coupons were issued in 1¢ white; 2¢ orange; 5¢ white; 10¢ yellow; and 25¢ white. It is believed by this writer that only cancelled samples of this issue have survived to this day. These sample examples were stamped VOID in blue over black printing that reads POST EXCHANGE/FORT LEONARD WOOD/MISSOURI.

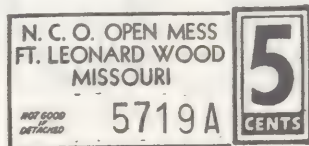
The post exchange ran a bus line to the town of Waynesville, some three miles from the post. The white metal bus token shown below was used on the bus line and was GOOD FOR ONE FARE. In Waynesville soldiers could transfer to civilian buses bound for Springfield, Rolla or St. Louis.



In March 1941 the Army Engineer Replacement Training Center (ERTC) was organized under General U.S. Grant III. The NCO Club token shown here was issued by the ERTC and was used until 1946 when the post became a 'ghost town'.



Fort Leonard Wood reopened in August 1950 and was assigned the mission of training troops for service in Korea. By the early 60's the fort was the Army's largest training center. Chits were issued by both the NCO and officers open messes. Several series have been issued in 5¢, 10¢, and 25¢ denominations.



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FORT LEONARD WOOD (CONTINUED)

Two series of post exchange tokens have been issued at the post since it reopened in 1950. The first series bear the words VALUE WHEN RETURNED WITH BOTTLE, these were issued in 25¢, 75¢, and 80¢ denominations. These tokens were originally given to post exchange customers when they purchased soft drinks and beer in returnable bottles. The PX charged more of a deposit than did merchants in Waynesville and it was felt that customers might attempt to return bottles to the exchange which had been purchased elsewhere. This could have proven profitable to any unscrupulous customers therefore it was mandatory that tokens accompany the bottles when they were returned for refund.



Later deposit fees were more or less equal to that of the town's merchants and the aluminum tokens were discontinued for this purpose.

When this writer arrived at Fort Leonard Wood in November 1967, bottle deposit tokens were being used but for an entirely different purpose. Customers bringing empty bottles to the exchange turned them in as they entered and were given tokens which were honored at the cashiers check out counter against purchases. The old 25¢, 75¢, and 80¢ tokens were used for this purpose as well as new 5¢ and 75¢ tokens bearing the legend BOTTLE RETURN REDEEMABLE VALUE. These tokens circulated solely within the exchange. They were discontinued in February 1968.



It is strange that 75¢ and 80¢ denominations were issued. Perhaps they were at one time used for a special keg or case of bottles.

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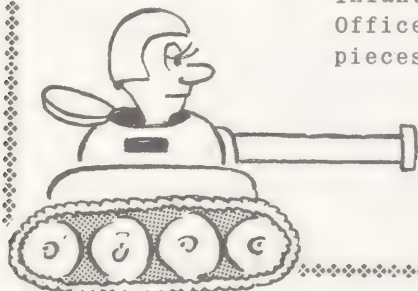
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Thanks to all you fellows for sending Montana pieces for me to list and
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Geo. Gould METCA # 22.

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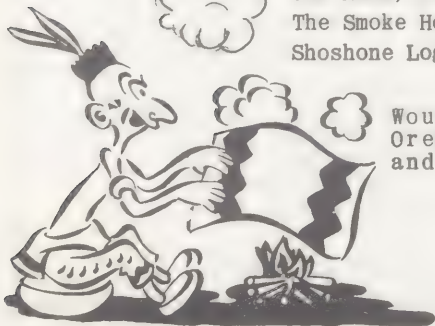
The Nook, Post Falls, Idaho, Large 5¢

The Smoke House, Wallace, Idaho, 12½¢ Brass.

Shoshone Log Motel, Cataldo, Idaho, 50¢ Brass.

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(Est. 1917) - 6 pc. - \$1.00 thru 1¢(Rd. & Oct. Alum.)
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(Est. 1906) - Good for 1 Radium Water Bath.....(Oct. Al.)
10. Claremore, Okla.-Mission Club (Est. 1919)-5¢ in trade....(Rd. Br.)
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Good for \$5.00 on \$50.00 Purchase.....(Rd. Al.)
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\$5.00-\$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢-.....(5 are Rd. Br.- \$5.00 is Oct. Br.)
14. Kusa, Okla/Kusa Trading Co/N.C.Giddings/Manager/-/Good
For/25/in Merchandise/.....(Rd. Al.)
15. Kusa, Okla/Kusa Trading Co/N.C.Giddings/Manager/-/Good
For/50/in Merchandise/.....(Very dirty light corrosion)
16. Monroe, Okla./W.R. Mabile & Co/-/Good
For/\$1.00/in/Merchandise.....(Rd. Br.)
17. /Albany, Oregon, Centennial/50¢/Token/1848-1948/-/Beaver
on a log/O.T./1849/.....(Rd. Brass looks gold)
18. /Salem, Oregon/The Lodge Club/Mc/-Good For 5¢/Mc/in trade..(Rd. Br.)
19. /Silverton, Ore./Mac's Place/-/Good
For 5¢/in trade/.....(Rd. Copper-Center Diamond Cut-out)
20. Choteau, Okla./Crockett Bros./Cash Store/-/25¢ in trade/..(4 Sc. Br.)
21. Tulsa, Okla./Main Street Bar/125/S. Main/-/5¢ in trade/(Rd.Al.-Ty.I)
22. Lenapah, I.T./C.M.Wakefield/Gen.Mdse/-/50¢ in trade/..(II Scallop Al)
23. Vinita, I.T./S.J. Burns/-/10¢ in merchandise/.....(Rd. Br.)
24. Centralia, I.T./J.H.V./J.H. VanAusdal Drugs)/-/5¢ in trade/(Rd.Br.)
25. /Pueblo, Colo./Sam Baer/Good for/10¢/in trade/Sam Baer/
(Pic. of large bear standing on island)/Pueblo, Colo./ (Rd.Al.-35m.m.)

Note: Above token is "Largest Old" 10¢ token I know of- it is WORN-
SCRATCHED, PICKED ON WITH A SHARP TOOL & is still one of the most
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have many listed of states other than Oklahoma.

JOHN LITCHENBERG, P.O. BOX 285, CLAREMORE, OKLA. 74017

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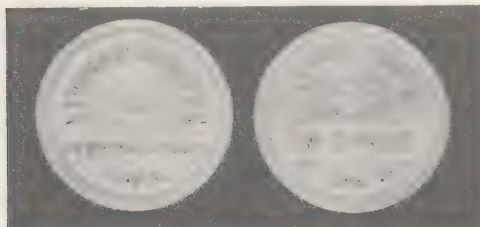


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NEWPORT SALOON - CRIPPLE CREEK, COLORADO

by Don Cary and Jim Wright



The Newport Saloon was located at 4th and Bennett Avenue, in the Mining Exchange Building (later Elks Building) next door to G.R. Lewis and Company Rexall Drug Store. The Bar was up front with gambling in back. In 1904 a man named Grant Crumley owned the Saloon.

Sam Strong, owner of the Strong Mine on Battle Mountain at Victor, was a muleskinner who became a millionaire. He was a poor drinker and a worse loser. One night in the Newport he lost \$2,000.00 playing roulette, which he paid for by I.O.U.'s. Next day claiming the wheel had been "fixed", he offered to settle for \$200.00 but Crumley refused. The two men were bitter enemies.

A few weeks later still owing Crumley the \$2,000.00, Strong stopped in the Newport and won \$300.00 on the wheel. Leaving, he stopped at the bar and said to Crumley, "Your wheel must have been honest tonight." An altercation followed and Strong reached in his pocket for his 38. Crumley reached under the bar and shot Strong with a sawed off shot gun, in the head and chest.

So, at the tender age of 40, Sam Strong lay dead on the floor of the Newport Saloon for welching on a gambling debt. He left a cool \$1,000,000.00 to his young widow. (The Strong mine on Battle Mountain produced \$13,000,000.00 in gold.) Although Crumley was the leader of the infamous "Crumley Gang", he claimed self defense, and had several witnesses and was freed.

The token is Alum, Round and 24MM.

California Collectors - For information on California Token Society CATS and "California Trade Token Place Names" book just published, contact Duane H. Feisel METCA No. 108

MORE NOTES ON FAKES AND REPRODUCTIONS

By Jane Keel

Collectors of Oklahoma and especially Indian Territory tokens need to be on the watch for tokens that are considered "fake", "controversial" or "souvenir" pieces. Indian traders had to have a government license before opening and operating a trading post in Indian Territory and the records of these still remain today.

One well-known set of octagonal brass tokens, that aren't accepted by Oklahoma token collectors as genuine, is the "SILAS BASS GUNS GEN. MDSE. KEOTA, I.T.". There are, in fact, two sets of these, both very similar in appearance, with the main differences in size of lettering and size and style of numerals. One set has a toothed border while the other is beaded.



Type I - Thick Numerals



Type II - Thin Numerals

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FAKES AND REPRODUCTIONS (CONTINUED)

Another rather handsome-appearing brass token is "EAGLE TOWN/INDIAN TERR." with an Indian in feather headdress on the obverse and "LEE'S TRADING POST/GOOD/FOR/\$1.00/IN TRADE" on the reverse.

The foregoing appear aged but little or no wear. In fact, Silas Bass tokens that I have seen even show some lustre. No one has ever been able to offer conclusive or concrete evidence that these are genuine. Some have good stories but they are always rather vague and mention a person whose name they're not at liberty to give out, who said they were authentic.

P.K. Anderson, Past-President of A.N.A. and now deceased, along with Bill Dale, past-curator of Oklahoma Historical Society, searched all records thoroughly and found no Silas Bass or Lee's Trading Post registered or licensed.

A few years ago, the advice from a friend was to "steer clear" of a certain "\$2.00 Little Chief" token. "Ask for certification" was suggested and this might be a good course to follow when any questionable merchandise is offered.

Considering it costs only pennies to make a token and most metal I.T. tokens have an asking price in the neighborhood of \$10.00 or up, it is wise to know your dealer, his merchandise or both. It is of considerable help to the novice collector to have a trusted friend or two who has collected for a number of years in his chosen field. His experience, advice and knowledge are gems that money can't buy!

Supposedly, there's a white metal 5¢ attributed to the 101 Ranch that collectors need to be careful about. There may be other spurious issues not known to this writer. Information relative to the infamous airplane tokens of Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska which appeared in the A.V.A. Journal (date and issue not known) would also be of benefit to all METCA members. Anyone having this information would be doing a service by sending it to the publisher of Trade Token Topics.

LEE'S TRADING POST, EAGLE TOWN, INDIAN TERRITORY by Charles Ross



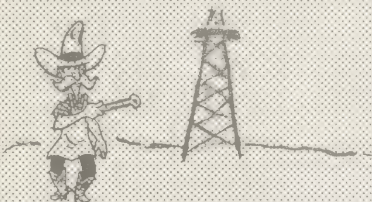
Mention of Lee's Trading Post has been made in the Numismatic Scrapbook Magazine and C & S mail bid lists. Both state that this is a fake. NSM states that there never was a "Lee's Trading Post" in Eagle Town. This is a beautiful token, but, unfortunately, it has been made within recent years.

Publisher's Note: Another token reported as suspect is the J.H. Butler, Bengal I.T. which looks burned. If anyone has information on this I will print it for you. Ray Nadreau

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4. Sunrise Springs, Arz. Sunrise Springs Trading Post	Rd Al \$5.00	\$4.00
5. Indian Wells, Arz, Indian Wells Trading Post	8 side Br 5¢	\$4.00
6. Indian Wells, Arz, Indian Wells Trading Post	8 side Br 25¢	\$4.00
7. Indian Wells, Arz, E. J. Larty	6 side Al \$5.00	\$4.00
8. (Indian Wells) Arz A. Montono Set	Rd Br \$1.0050¢25¢10¢	\$6.00
9. Cheboygan, Mich. Jos. Bilitzke 404 N. Main St	Rd Al \$1.00	\$2.50
One on each Suit or overcoat		
10. Fenton, Mich. D.M. Parshall, Furniture, Rugs, Carpet, Linolums,	One on each Purchase of \$20.00 ore more Rd Al \$1.00	\$2.50
11. Susanville, Calif Swains Bar	Rd Br 5¢	\$1.00
12. Eureka, Calif H. Schulze	Rd Br 5¢	\$1.00
13. Weed, Calif. Weed Lumber Co The Club	Rd Br 25¢	\$1.50
14. Redding, Calif, Golden Eagle Cigar Store	Rd Wm 5¢	\$1.25
15. Dunsmuir, Calif, The Big Liquor Store	Rd Br \$1.00	\$1.25
16. Dunsmuir, Calif The Big Liquor Store	Rd Br 10¢	\$1.00
17. North Platt, Neb Milk Product Co	Rd Br 1 Pint 1 Qt Milk 2	\$2.00
18. Bancroft, Neb Lergers Bros	Rd Br 25¢	\$1.00
19. McCook, Neb Big Bills Smoke House 1, Al. 1Br, 10¢25¢	Both	\$2.00
20. Gothenberg, Neb, Jensen Bro Market	8pt Al 25¢	\$1.00
21. Bancroft, Neb, Howard Saunier Gen Mdse	Al \$1.00	\$1.00
22. Cody, Neb American Legion	Rd Al \$1.00 One Buck	\$1.25
23. McCook, Neb Champion Sporting Goods	Rd Al 25¢	\$1.25
24. Nebraska City, Neb L&H Boyd Recreation Parlor	Rd \$1.00	\$1.00
25. Lodge Pole, Neb Schnell's Pool Hall	Rd Br 25¢	\$1.25
26. Bancroft, Neb Eddy Padget	4pt Al	\$1.25
27. Bancroft, Neb Raasch's Tavern	Rd Br 5¢	\$1.00
28. Bloomfield, Neb H&H Cafe	Rd Br 5¢	\$1.00
29. Kearney, Neb Kearney's Billiards	Rd	\$1.00
30. Beatrice, Neb Clark's Bakery	8pt Al 1 load Bread	\$1.50
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<p>WANTED - All types South Carolina Tokens. Have a few from other states to trade but would rather buy. Send to Randy Chambers, P.O. Box 326, Seneca, S.C. 29678</p>
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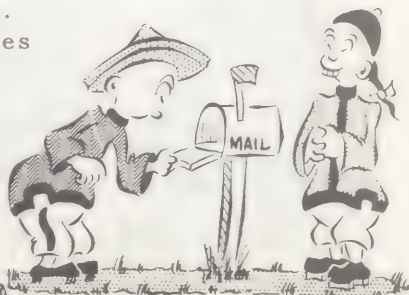
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TOKENS ARE WHERE YOU FIND THEM

By Forrest Dunham

Every trade token collector, it seems, has his favorite story or stories about how he found certain tokens in his collection. We all have our various sources such as Antique shops, second-hand stores, rummage sales, etc. but every once in awhile we make a discovery under unusual circumstances. This article is written in the hopes that other collectors will write of their favorite "token find" under unusual conditions.

Until another one comes along, the foregoing is one of the most unusual token find stories I have ever heard. Seems a certain Oregon collector left his card with a possible source and when the party did contact him, he related that the one token he found was pushed out of a hole in his yard by a mole. The token turned out to be from a very scarce town.

Several years ago, my oldest son observed some folks in the process of moving from their home. As he watched from across the street, the husband loaded his family into the car and paused briefly to throw something from his car window. After they drove off, my boy went across the street, kicked some gravel aside and found a token from Salem, Oregon.

Other not ordinary finds include the collector from Southern Washington who spent all day in a town looking for tokens without success only to find the man sitting next to him at the bar that evening had an Alaskan token in his wallet. Needless to say, this collector promptly added the token to his collection.

An antique dealer once told this collector he would call him as soon as he found any tokens. The call was received and after going to the antique shop, I noticed the tokens were neatly mounted under plastic. It seems they had sat in his window for two weeks before he called. Turned out it was an old bartender's collection of 61 pieces with not a token after 1905. All were from various saloons in the old original part of Seattle.

And so the finds are not always made in the usual manner. Perhaps you may have a story on an unusual find and would share it with your fellow collectors in METCA.

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THE WOMEN SALOON-KEEPERS OF SAN FRANCISCO-1902

By Richard F. Herberg

The stories behind the tokens in my collection of San Francisco, California firm trade checks are numerous, and to me the most interesting part of the hobby. I recently acquired a Maverick and research has disclosed that it was issued for use at a saloon operated by Mrs. M. Brekle at 2930 Fulton Street, from 1902 until the Quake and Fire of 1906. Further research shows that in San Francisco in 1902 there were close to 2,000 saloons listed in the city directory. Of these only 83 were operated by women saloon-keepers, less than five percent of the total. Seventy-two were listed as married, and only eleven were listed as single. Over one-third of the 83 had names of Irish extraction. Most of these saloons were in residential neighborhoods, very few in what was in 1902 a business or commercial district; and probably all were small establishments. To find a saloon token about seventy years old, and of a saloon operated by a woman, is a rarity indeed. Mrs. M. Brekle's saloon was located near the famous Golden Gate Park on Fulton Street near one of the entrances to this park at Sixth Avenue. She must have done a good weekend and holiday business, until the Quake and Fire of 1906 when Golden Gate Park was used by hundreds of refugees.

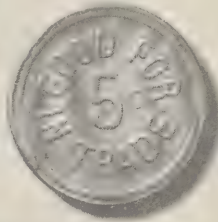
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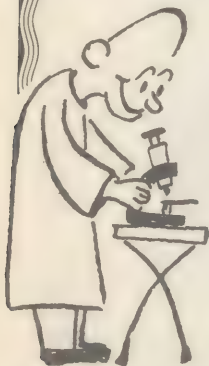


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WOMEN SALOON-KEEPERS (Continued)

Another token used by a saloon of a much later date, when the use of the word 'saloon' was outlawed by California law, is the token issued by Mrs. Patty Sullivan for use in her club at 970 Sutter Street, San Francisco, California. Patty established this bar in 1939 and operated it until 1957, a period of eighteen years, using the name of 'Patty's Club' and 'Patty's 970 Sutter Club.' This bar was going as late as 1961 and called the 'Idlewood Lounge'. These two saloon tokens are to date the only two I have been able to secure any information on, of saloons operated by women in San Francisco.

On the other side of the coin; I have obtained a token issued by a male for a beauty shop. Mr. Guy S. Bundy ran the 'Frederic's Beauty Salon,' located at 2379 Mission Street in San Francisco in 1939-1940, just before the Second World War. This token made of Aluminum had on the reverse: Good for One Manicure. It was made by the Irvine-Jachens Company of San Francisco, as was the one used by 'Patty's 970 Club.' The maker of Mrs. M. Brekle's saloon token was J. C. Irvine, forerunner of the Irvine-Jachens Company. These three tokens are, to say the least, unusual and most interesting, and proves that research on Mavericks is the key to getting the most out of our hobby.



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HELP ! If you will send me a rubbing or description of your Oregon or Washington lumber tokens, I will send you a 3¢ token with city & state. Help me catalogue them. Terry Trantow, P.O.Box 132, Forks, Wash., 98331
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METCA MEMBER JOHN LITCHENBERG thanks every member who has written him and sent rubbings of tokens to trade, and is sorry he is unable at this time to answer most of these letters. Every letter will be answered!

***** G G FOR TRADE G G *****

ONE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING MASONIC PENNIES:

Zinzendorf R.A. Chapter No. 216, Bethlehem, Pa. A.U.
 Ezra Royal Arch Chapter No. 291, Bethlehem, Pa., A.U.
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 Newbern Chapter No. 46, No location, Poor

For Masonic Pennies of Okla. only, one for one

Mrs. N.J. Keel, Route #1, Guymon, Oklahoma, 73942

MAIL BID SALE

Bid closes 15th day of month when published in this paper. Postage and Ins. is extra. Bid by lot number only. Will swap any item or items for needed Colorado material such as tokens, medals, or badges.

1. SAC CITY, IA.--BARKL'S PREMIUM DRUG STORE--brass & alum. $\frac{1}{2}$ -1-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -5-10¢
2. ELLIOTT, IOWA--KUTER, FULLER & CO.--THE PLACE TO TRADE--brass oct. & round 2-10-25-50-\$1.00
3. ROYAL, IOWA--IVER JESPERSEN--GENERAL MERCHANDISE--brass octagon 1.00
4. SPUDS, FLORIDA--SPUDS TURPENTINE CO.--ETC. ETC. --alum. rnd. 5-10¢
5. ALPAUGH, CAL.--W.N. BILLING--GENERAL MERCHANDISE--Brass rnd. 10-25¢
6. ROANOKE, ILL.--RILEYS SANITARY GROCERY--alum. octagon 5-10-25¢
7. AUGUSTA, ILL.--IN VENABLE'S BARGAIN BASEMENT--brass vari-shape 10-25
8. JOLIET, ILL.--HICKEY BROS. STORE No. 18--alum. square \$1.00
9. BELLEVILLE, ILL.--JOE KRIEG--zinc octagon 5¢
10. CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.--CASIS--STATE ROAD 34--brass round 5¢
11. WASHINGTON, IND.--CABEL & KAUFFMAN--MERC. CO.--alum 8-scallop 5¢
12. PRINCETON, IND.--FLABB-LAUTENSLAGER CO.--alum rnd. 5¢ loaf bread
13. PENDLETON, IND.--PENDLETON NEWS--alum round 5¢
14. GARY, IND.--SHARP BROS. GARAGE--(D&N) PHONE 882-6342--brass rnd. 5¢
15. LUDINGTON, MICH.--E.L. DAHRINGER--brass round 5¢
16. DETROIT, MICH.--AL'S TAVERN--16333 PLYMOUTH RD.--alum. round 25¢
17. EOLIA, MO.--HALL & REID--INGLE SYSTEM--brass round 5¢
18. HENDRUM, MINNESOTA--HANSEN STORE--GENERAL MERCHANDISE--alum. rnd. 10-25-50-\$1.00,
19. ULEN, MINN.--HERREID MERCANTILE CO.--alum. round 25¢
20. BELLE PLAINE, MINN.--JAS. RENDLE--alum. round 5¢
21. FLOYD, N.Y.--BO-PIX TAVERN--alum. round 10¢
22. MEMPHIS, TENN.--SOUTHERN CONFECTION CO.--brass round w/center hole
23. NOLDEN, W. VA.--ISLAND CREEK STORES CO.--ORCO--brass round 1¢
24. REED, W. VA.--HATFIELD-CAMPBELL CREEK COAL COMPANY--brass rnd. 1¢
25. CLARKSBURG, W. VA.--HENRY GEORGE--brass round $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢
26. OSHKOSH, WIS.--ROMLOW'S TAVERN--alum round 10¢
27. FOND DU LAC, WIS.--JOHN'S TAP--235 SO. MILITARY RD.--alum. round 10¢
28. MEDFORD, WIS.--TOM'S BAR--alum. round 10¢
29. DOWNSVILLE, WISC.--DAN'S TAVERN--alum. round 10¢
30. DELAWARE, O.--THE GEM BAKERY--J.J. McGOUGH, PROP.--alum. 4-scallop 1 loaf of bread
31. MAPLE RUN, PA.--MAPLE STORE COMPANY--alum. rnd. 1-10-25¢
alum. rnd. 1-5-10-25-50¢
32. LANCASTER, PA.--A O.O.O.--owl on reverse--brass round nickel slug
33. OKLAHOMA, KY.--G.H. HINTON--brass round 5¢
34. BUHL, ALA.--SIPSEY VALLEY LBR. CO.--brass round 5-10¢
35. VENANGO, NEBR.--C.A. DRAKE--alum. octagon 10¢
36. McCOOK, NEBRASKA--BIG BILL'S SMOKE HOUSE--alum. round 25¢
37. MADRID, NEBR.--JOE'S PLACE--alum. square 10¢
38. KIMBALL, NEB.--W.L. WILLS DEPT. STORE--GEN. MDSE--brass round 1¢
39. HERSHEY, NEBR.--BUTCH'S PLACE--alum. round 5¢
40. TRINITY, TEXAS--BELL BROS. STORE--alum. round 25¢
41. COUPLAND, TEXAS--COUPLAND MERCANTILE COMPANY--brass octagon 5¢
42. TONOPAH, NEV.--C. & F. BAR--white metal rnd. w/heart cut out 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢

James Andrews, 1119 Poplar St., Leadville, Colorado, 80461

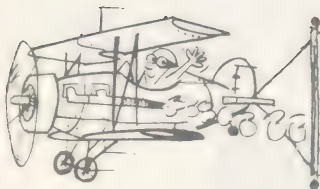
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EDITOR'S NOTE

I want to thank all of you for your interest and support of METCA during the past few months. I have decided to discontinue as editor of TRADE TOKEN TOPICS, as my research for my forthcoming book on Montana trade tokens is very time-consuming and Mr. Nadreau, the publisher, has ably taken over my duties. I am, however, no less an avid supporter of METCA. I feel we have acquired a fine nucleus of merchant token collectors representing every corner of America and Canada.

I would like to extend an invitation to each and every one of you who can to attend the American Vecturist Association Convention in Seattle, Washington on August 6, 7, and 8, 1971 at the Seattle Hilton. Mr. John Coffee, editor of the A.V.A. also extends this invitation. We are planning a swap session Saturday morning around 10 A.M. There will be a nominal registration fee only. These bus token collectors have some good trade tokens to swap for transportation and parking tokens! As this year's A.V.A. auctioneer, I would be happy to auction off material for attending METCA members after the regular auction, with 5% going to the A.V.A. treasury. I ask only that no large lots or modern pieces be submitted. Many of the local METCA members plan to attend. I hope all of you can also!

George Gould

BATH ANYONE?

By Ed Saunders

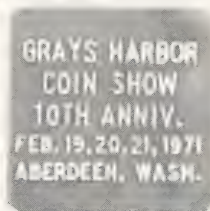
Here are two tokens that go back a ways. The "C.Allen/Good for a bath/Yreka, Cal." token was used in the days when the bathhouse was in the back of the barber shop. The other token, "Good for 1 tune on banjo, at St.Rowe's, Grass Valley" was used when mechanical toys were popular, for the mechanical banjo player. Both towns were located in and were a part of the California Gold Rush days of the '49 era. Grass Valley and Yreka both had their glories.



GOOD FOR 25¢ AT ANY TABLE

By J. Blake Godfrey

These words appear on an entirely new and unique token introduced to collectors of such by the Grays Harbor Coin Club, as a means of admission to one of its coin shows. We felt that instead of letting everyone in for free we should somehow cause them to spend some money with the dealers. The club in turn redeemed the tokens at face value from the dealers. From all indications it was very successful. To make the tokens a real collectors item and one that would be much sought after a different color was used for each day of the three day show. (Red, White and Blue). Still not satisfied, it was decided to make the red ones in short supply and only 250 were made and of that 125 were kept by the club members. Of the other two colors 500 white and 750 blue were made. Some of the dealers were quick to realize the potential of having sets of all three colors and consequently only 15 of the red tokens were redeemed by the club. One dealer offered 50¢ in trade for the red token and left the show with 50 sets for future sale.



AIRPLANE TOKENS ON COVER

Tokens appearing on this month's cover are those mentioned by Mrs. Keel in her article on fakes and reproductions in the June issue of T.T.T. They were ordered by a Mr. Reed from a Chicago token manufacturing company in 1965. They were exposed by Duane Feisel in a Fare Box article dated May, 1966. I have copies of the article for those collectors interested. Please send stamped self-addressed envelope.

Ray Nadreau

MAVERICK #116 BY DONALD ANDERSON METCA #179

MAVERICK #116 by Donald Anderson, METCA #179

Thule Kap York, 500 on this token is for 500 Øre or five Danish Kroner. (Ed.Note: Mr. Anderson can identify the complete set.) All tokens are aluminum with a holed center. They were issued by Komiteen (Committee) for Kap York Stationen Thule. This was a mission and trading post established at Thule, Greenland in 1910 by Knud Rasmussen. This is on Greenland's northernmost west coast. This area was a private territory until August 1, 1937 when the district was incorporated into the rest of Greenland. The original town has been moved, and our large Air Force base is nearby the present Thule. I have three different catalog listings on the tokens of Greenland.

MAVERICK # 145 by HORACE M. MOSER, METCA #31

This Riedt Store Token was issued by the Riedt Stores Co. which had stores in various coal towns in northeastern Oklahoma. Mrs. C.B.Allen of Madill, Okla. said that on September 21, 1964 the 'Riedt Store' sign was still on the front of a building in Hartshorne, Okla. The stores were founded in Indian Territory, 1899. The \$1.00, 50¢ and 25¢ pieces read J.A.Riedt, Pres. in longhand on obverse side. The 5¢ and 10¢ pieces did not contain this signature.

MAVERICK # 76 by HARRY SAILOR, METCA #5

A batch of these tokens were ordered from a manufacturer and then used in a 'dice game' by a bar owner in Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. He used these tokens in 1942. I have about a hundred of these that I received from him. He is still in business, but no more dice games. The numbers 50, 400 are on each token.

FOR SALE

17 MM solid white metal bus token from Kendalville, Ind.
- (which is on the token)
60¢, 1¢ and 10¢ Trade Tokens from Reindeer Commercial Co. Gambell, Alaska. \$2.00 each. These 40 year old aluminum tokens were used by the native store at Gambell to pay the Eskimos for their furs, ivory, etc. They were later redeemed by the store for supplies and food. This village is on St. Lawrence Island only a few miles from Siberia. 3 only Juneau, Alaska new minibus tokens, solid brass. 55¢ each. Postage Please.
Wanted: Indiana and Alaska trade tokens

Virginia E. King, R6, Rd.650W, Columbia City, Ind. 46725



WANTED!!

ALASKAN & MISSOURI MERCHANT TOKENS.

ALSO
ADVERTISING POCKET MIRRORS
ANY STATE



Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo., 63118



CATALOGING BAKERY & DAIRY TOKENS OF U.S. & CANADA

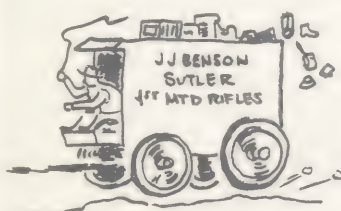
Please send impressions, descriptions and any information concerning bakeries and dairies. Will loan a board for making impressions. Please help make this catalog possible.

Harold L. Lesser, 32 Oneida Ave., Selden, N.Y. 11784

FREE NEVADA SALOON TOKEN with purchase of the very rare \$2½ Nevada Gaming Token. Franklin Mint #TGT-4/J40/M. \$7.00 each postpaid.
K.V.Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, CA 93514

WANTED-MILITARY TOKENS

I have 2,000 military tokens but am still looking for more. I need everything from sutler to Vietnam tokens



I have tokens from almost all states, saloons, prisons, Spiel Marken and game counters, trans and telephone, foreign shell cards and encased postage stamps to trade.

SSG RAY BOWS, HHC 59TH ORD GP, APO NY 09189



SALOON TOKENS WANTED

WILL BUY OR TRADE WHAT IS YOUR INTEREST ?

ALSO IN THE MARKET FOR OREGON TRADE TOKENS
Lee Stradley Box 1761 Vancouver, Wash. 98663

CLASSIFIEDS

<p>BUYING COLORADO Merchant tokens and related items. Lots of duplicate Colorado material to swap. James Andrews, 1119 Poplar, Leadville, Colo. 80461</p>
<p>SALE OF 50¢ TOKENS: Moellers Beer Parlor, Dysart, Iowa, old alum tokens. Also variety of S. Dak, Wisc, Minn tokens with city & state 50¢ each. Four piece set of Ellendale, Minn. tokens special \$2.00 Charles Robinson, Box 114, Austin, Minn. 55912</p>
<p>HAVE ACQUIRED MANY NEW MERCHANT TOKENS primarily from the West. Want Arizona items or anything Forrest Dunham or Harold Dunn can use. John Hamilton, 40 N.Swan, Tucson, Arizona 85711</p>
<p>WANTED: Military, coal scrip, Civil War, trade tokens from most states. Special wants: Alaskan trade tokens, advertising pocket mirrors from anywhere. Will pay well for mirrors that are 'good fors' Write, describe and price. Tom Wall, Box 142, East Alton, Illinois 62024</p>
<p>FREE NEVADA SALOON TOKEN with purchase of the very rare \$2½ Nevada Gaming Token (Franklin Mint #TGT-4/J40/M) \$7.00 each postpaid. K. V. Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, CA 93514</p>
<p>HAVE 15 SETS of unique 3 piece Red-white-and blue tokens that read "Good for 25¢ in trade at any table" for sale at \$1.00 per set used at Grays Harbor, Wash. Coin Show. Very limited amount of red tokens issued. Unlimited white and blue tokens at 25¢ each. SAE please. J. Blake Godfrey, P.O.Box 794, Aberdeen, Washington, 98520</p>
<p>JOHNSON & BROS WHITE FRONT SALOON, Raton, N.M. Scalloped Brass G/F 12½¢ in Trade \$3.50 each plus postage or will trade for New Mexico tokens I can use in my collection. George Kuchan, 1315 Royale, Colorado Springs, Colorado, 80910</p>
<p>YOU HAVE AND I WANT: I will buy any type Connecticut token-medal needed for my collection. Must have town/state. Send description and price or ship. Please check your extra tokens. Henry Watcke, 42 Barbara Drive, Milford, Conn. 06460</p>
<p>YOUR FLORIDA (only) trade tokens for our foreign coins. Send 'rubbings or TAMS-type listings. Will price and suggest foreign, in-grade, at Yoeman or Craig cat. Have lost NO traders yet. A. Corson, Box 38-261, Miami, FL 33138</p>
<p>WANTED: Dairy & Bakery Tokens of U.S. & Canada. Send description and prices or state token wants for trades. Harold L. Lesser, 32 Oneida Ave., Selden, N.Y. 11784</p>
<p>TRADE, BUY OR SELL our Idaho & Oregon tokens in quantity, plus some variety in Calif., Wash., Montana, No. Dakota & Utah. Need other varieties in good condition from any other states. G. and V. Cadwalader, Box 710, Redwood City, Calif., 94064</p>
<p>HAVE THESE TOKENS TO TRADE for military tokens or cash offers: Miller #915 (Bowery) N.Y. Traphagen & Hunter & Co. #94 (Boston) Mass. White Bros. & Co. (holed) Both tokens good. Also J. Derbecker General Merchant Neustadt, Ont. (brass) 5¢ Trade. Millard Wasczacak, Sr., 352 Maple St. Scranton, PA 18505</p>
<p>WANTED - Any Minnesota Merchant tokens, all types. I will buy or trade for my tokens or foreign coins. Dick Grinolds, 428 21st Ave.S., Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55404</p>
<p>HAVE TO TRADE a few nice Basin, Montana tokens from the Eagle Bar & Restaurant, Basin, Mont. Good for one drink or cigar. These are elongated, alum, and old. I want small Montana towns and saloon tokens for my collection. Robert E. White, Rt. 9 Elmar, Missoula, Montana, 59801</p>
<p>FOUR DIFFERENT TRADE TOKENS with city and state, \$1.00. Will also trade up to (20) different trade tokens with city and state for your different with city and state. Stanley L. Buckley, 23 -18th St., Newport, Ky. 41071</p>

CLASSIFIEDS

ARIZONA & SONORA (MEX.) tokens, buy, sell, trade, need rubbings for catalogues.
Hal Birt, Jr., 4325 E. Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85711

SOUTH CAROLINA TOKENS WANTED, all kinds. Am cataloging and need tokens or rubbings. Will buy or trade. Have some tokens from other states (not too many).
Send what you have to :
Randy Chambers, P.O. Box 326, Seneca, South Carolina 29678

HAVE MIRROR CARD & elongated cent of 1933 Chicago World Fair. Also few other U.S. tokens. Trade for Canadian Mirror Cards.
R. Low, 202 E. 35th St., Hamilton 53, Ontario, Canada

WANTED - all types of tokens. Will trade tokens, coins, stamps (or what do you need ?) for them.
Sam Ruggeri, P.O. Box 561, No. Bellmore, N.Y. 11710

SHOPWELL MKTS. (BRONX, N.Y.) USDA Food Stamp plan fibre tokens, set of 3 var. 1 .75, var. 2 \$1.50. Postpaid. Have others to trade for food stamp plan tokens I need. Price lists included with each order or sent for SAE.
Jerry Bates, Box 777M, St. Charles, Mo. 63301

SEND ME A TRADE TOKEN with city and state, and I'll send you a different one, also with city and state. Will also trade 3 Nile transit tokens for your one trade token.
Virginia King, R 6, Rd. 650W, Columbia City, Indiana, 46725

WANTED - Coal Mine Scrip tokens, Virginia tokens and tokens from some Western states. List and price.
Frank M. Beam, 209 Laurel Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15202

HAVE ILLINOIS TOKENS to trade for Colorado trade tokens or Arizona and Idaho that I don't have.
Paul Stewart, 3356 Leyden, Denver, Colorado 80207

WANTED TO BUY - Calif, Nevada, Arizona, saloon tokens. Also California chauffeur badges. Phil Balkan, 5860 Tobias Ave., Van Nuys, California 91401

WANTED - Tokens from Washington and saloon tokens from any state. Have tokens from most states plus older Military for trade or will purchase.
Forrest Dunham, 201 No. 107th, Seattle, Wash. 98133

THANKS FOR ALL THE DANDY MONTANA TOKENS - I'm a collector and still need more. Will buy or trade. Please ?
Ford Knight, 126 Takima Drive, Missoula, Montana 59801

WANTED - Nicer Oklahoma trade tokens. Will pay high for saloon and all tokens from Anadarko, OK. and all related items.
Jack C. Smith, 201 W. Georgia, Anadarko, Oklahoma 73005

'BUICK' AUTOS - Want to buy tokens, medals, buttons, badges, watch and key fobs, postcards, match books, sales brochures.
Donald Anderson, 943 S.E. 18th Ave., Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55414

WANTED - Nevada trade mirrors and Nevada trade tokens, wooden nickels and etc. Cash or trade.
J.L. McPheeters, 472 W. Monterey Avenue, Stockton, California 95204

FRANK M. BEAM - Dealer in coal mine scrip tokens and miscellaeneous collector items.

209 Laurel Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA. 15202

FOR TRADE

This is not a mail bid sale. -- The following pieces are available on trade only for items I need for my collection. I am principally interested in tokens, trade mirrors, medals and related materials of NEVADA. However, I will also consider proposed deals offering tokens of NEW MEXICO and of the EASTERN and MOTHER LODE AREAS OF CALIFORNIA.

SALOON TOKENS

1. MANDOLIN CLUB SALOON, Globe, Ariz., 5¢, rd br
2. LITTLE CASINO SALOON, Hot Springs, Ark., 5¢, rd br
3. LIMIT SALOON, JOHN TORRE, PROP., Amador City, Cal., 1 drink, oct al
4. O.K. SALOON, W. F. TAGGART, Crescent City, Cal., 5¢, rd WM
5. ROCCO SALOON, Jamestown, (Cal.), One drink, rd br
6. GOLDEN GATE SALOON, Sac. Cal., 5¢, rd br
7. LAFAYETTE SALOON, (Sacramento, Cal.), 5, rd br
8. MONTANA SALOON, (Miles City, Mont.), 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, scal al
9. THE CORNER SALOON, Sheridan, Mont., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ drink, rd br
10. SACRAMENTO SALOON, Carson City, Nev., 5¢, rd br
11. CORNER SALOON, C. DIGINO, PROP., Dayton, (Nev.), 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, oct br
12. BAKERY SALOON, JOE CURREY, PROP., (Elko, Nev.), 12¢, rd br
13. LOUVRE SALOON, (Elko, Nev.), 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, rd br
14. FIFTH AVENUE SALOON, Goldfield, Nevada, 5¢, rd br
15. GOLD DUST SALOON, Goldfield, Nev., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, rd br
16. NORTHERN SALOON, Luning, Nevada, 1 drink, sq br
17. TURF SALOON, Millers, Nev., 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢, rd br (ghost town)
18. MONTE CARLO SALOON, Tonopah, Nev., One drink, rd br, "Tonapah"
19. TORINO SALOON, Tonopah, Nev., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, rd br, "Tonapah"
20. NEW AURORA SALOON, Aurora, Ore., 5¢, oct al
21. RESORT SALOON, Baker, Ore., 5¢, rd br
22. MT. HOOD SALOON, (Mt. Hood, Ore.), 5¢, rd br (w/Mt. Hood design)

Rare ARIZONA TERRITORIAL Pieces

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- * 23. GRAND CENTRAL, H. STEPHENSON, Congress, A.T., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, scal al *
- * 24. MINERS EXCHANGE SALOON, J. HARNEY, Congress, A.T., 1 dr, oct br *
- * 25. THE STONE SALOON, M. RIVERA, Congress, A.T., One Drink, oct br *

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OTHER NICE TOKENS

26. EXPOSED REEF MINING CO., OF ARIZONA, 25¢, rd al
27. BILLY'S PLACE, Jerome, Ariz., 10¢, rd br
28. MacDONALD, Jerome, Ariz., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, rd br
29. CAFE ROYAL, Sweeny, Ariz., Produce Me and Quench Your Thirst, rd br
30. RAM PENNY, CORINTHIAN CH. #14, Des Moines, Iowa, br
31. RAM PENNY, AUSTIN CH. #14, Austin, Minn., copper
32. MARYLAND INSTITUTE 25TH EXHIBITION, 1872, Baltimore, rd WM (M#174)
33. FRANK HURD'S, Columbus, Mont., 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ (cutout), sq br
34. OLD DIPILODOCUS TAVERN, Medicine Bow, Wyo., 2 pcs 5 and 10, oct al

HAL DUNN - P. O. BOX 114 - CARSON CITY, NEVADA 89701

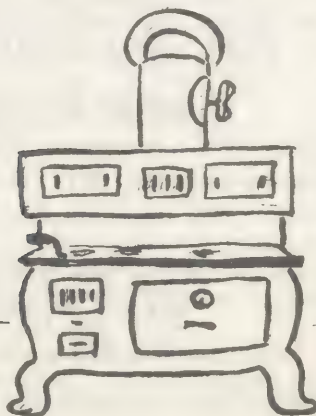
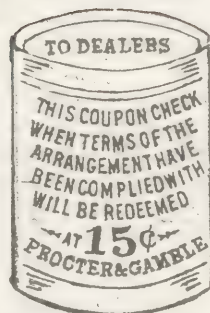
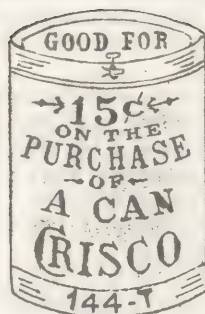
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ON THE TOKEN TRAIL

By Virginia King, METCA #127

When my husband and I started collecting trade tokens, I often got discouraged and just about gave up because of some of the answers we got when asking coin dealers about them. I'll list some of the answers we received: "No tokens." "I don't know anything about them." "I had some tokens but didn't bring them along." "Someone bought all I had just a few minutes ago." "If you give me your name and address, I'll send you a list." (We never heard even though we left postage.)

One day I was not feeling up to par so my husband went to a coin show alone. When he returned he was carrying a big box. He had stopped in a tavern on the way home and asked if they had ever used tokens. The bartender handed him a big cardboard box full of sweepings and said it contained a few tokens and that he would have to take the box, trash and all to get the tokens. We looked through the junk and found at least a dozen tokens to add to our collection.

Ever since then I just love to take a Saturday and go to another town (or several if time permits) and look for tokens in various business places. It is an inexpensive and pleasant way to spend a day. The majority of the merchants are cooperative although a few will look at you as though you are an escapee from a mental institution. We find that many proprietors will express an interest and even take time to hunt up something for you or give you a good lead. We find it is a good way to unwind, meet people, and in general enjoy ourselves.

THANKS HAL, NOW I KNOW

After asking for information about this ad in last months Special Bulletin, Hal Birt wrote me that the pieces sold by Mr. Larson are genuine and that he is a very honest dealer.

INDIAN TRADE tokens, formerly used on
Apache Reservation. (50c, 25c, 10c, 5c),
\$4.00 set. Scarce collector's items. Warren
Larson, 3025 East Mitchell, Phoenix,
Arizona 85016

Thanks again for the information. Ray Nadreau

GUT FUR EIN GLAS, EIN LITER or EIN HUMPEN

by SSG Ray Bows METCA #81

Of all the products that Germany produces and consumes, probably the best known and most liked is beer. Beer of one kind or another has been made in some countries as far back as recorded history extends. It is the Germans who are responsible for what is commonly known, in the United States, as lager beer. Beer has been an essential part of the German's diet for centuries.

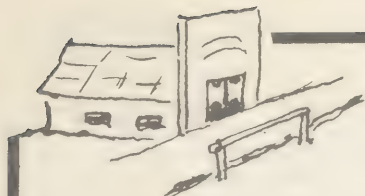
In Germany a town of any consequence has its brewery. Around the turn of the century these breweries issued their employees a beer ration. The conditions governing this free beer issue varied from brewery to brewery; however in most cases the beer had to be consumed at the brewery (brauhaus or brauerei) and beer allotments had to be consumed the day of issue.

In many breweries one wall would be covered with mugs each marked with a number. Each worker would turn in the token issued to him for that day and fill his mug at the employees' beer keg. Rations varied and were as little as 1 glas or as much as 2 or 3 liters per day depending on the brewery. It is almost certain that change was made in tokens. Some different types and denominations are illustrated here.



The words "Nicht Ubertrabar" or "Unubertrabar" indicate that the tokens were non-transferable. An ornate mug (humpen) or unusual glass (glas) often appears on tokens, while animals or emblems are illustrated on others.

With the knowledge of a dozen words of German, a new area of collecting can open up to those who are interested. Next time you snap the cap on a can of cold beer, remember that 75 years ago beer was drawn from a wooden barrel and paid for with a token.



SALOON TOKENS FOR TRADE

Bodega Saloon, Baker St. Nelson, B.C.,
The Store Saloon, Congress, A.T., Montreal Saloon, Cleek Bros.,
Boise, Ida., John Kaifers Saloon, Tumwater, W.T., Yellowstone
Saloon, Hamilton, Wash., Nectar Saloon, Colfax, Wash., J.T.
Wares Saloon, Belton, Tex., Palace Saloon, Huntington, W.Va.,
Southern Pacific Hotel Saloon, Tres Pinos, Cal., plus 3 scarce
Census I Trans. Tokens Cal 615B, Cal 745C & Kans 370A; I need
Calif. & Saloon Tokens. Write CHRISS, Box 651, Cupertino,
Calif. 95014

FRANK M. BEAM - Dealer in coal mine scrip tokens and
miscellaneous collector items.

209 Laurel Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA. 15202

FREE NEVADA SALOON TOKEN with purchase of the very
rare \$2½ Nevada Gaming Token. Franklin Mint #TGT-4/
J40/M. \$7.00 each postpaid. Please mention METCA.
K.V.Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, CA 93514



TRADE TOKENS FOR SALE

1. (Alaska), Ketchikan-The Hub-25¢-rd-br-GBD #21- \$3.50
 2. Alaska, Ketchikan-Lange's-\$1.00-rd-alum-35mm-GBD #23- 6.00
 3. (Alaska, Ketchikan)-Nelson Hotel-\$1.00-rd-alum-GBD #31-
(has a small hole in center)--- 6.00
 4. Alaska, Kodiak-The Beachcombers-1967-one drink-rd-bronze-
ship on reverse-serial #'d--Unc.- 1.75
 5. Alaska, Spenard-Friendly Fireside Lounge-1964-one drink-
rd-bronze-fireplace on rev.-unc.-- 1.50
 6. Ill., Jacksonville-Club Billiard Parlor-5¢, 10¢, 25¢--
alum.-complete set- 2.00
 7. Ill., Mascoutah-K.Kolb & Son-5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢, \$1--
rd-alum.-set-- 5.00
 8. Ill., Troy-Lyadies Place-8-9-46--10¢-club shaped-alum- 1.00
 9. Ill., Troy-Noah's Place-10¢-club shaped-brass-- 1.00
 10. Iowa, Rock Valley-Roelofs & Vanderbok-5¢, 10¢, 25¢,
50¢, \$1-oct.-alum.-set-- 3.00
 11. Minn., Buffalo-Purity Dairy & Creamery-1¢, 5¢, 10¢-
alum.-holed as made-set-- 3.00
 12. Minn., Lamberton-Jacks Pool Hall-5¢-rd-alum-2 diff.
types-both holed-pair-- 1.00
 13. Mont., Deer Lodge-Jody & Lloyd-5¢ & 10¢-rd-alum-pair- 2.00
 14. Neb., Barnston-P.A. Nance-5¢ & 25¢-brass-5¢ has just
the town name-pair-- 1.50
 15. Neb., Cedar Rapids-Steffes Bros.-10¢, 25¢, 50¢ & \$1
rd-alum-set-- 2.60
 16. (Utah), Park City-Spriggs & Crooks-5¢-rd-brass-- 1.50
- (Misc.)
17. 1959-Alaska-49th State-Good for \$1.00-Fairbanks-br-BU 1.50
 18. 1962-Alaska Booster Dollar-brass-about unc. only---- 1.25
 19. Pontiac-Chief of the Sixes-(Indian Head)-Product of
General Motors-brass-Unc.-- 1.00
 20. 5 different Civil War Store Cards-my choice-VG-EF-- 7.50

(Trade)

Send up to 40 different trade tokens, with city & state, receive same amount, all different, in exchange. Please don't send any 3¢ Glades, and I won't send you one unless you want it.

Please send 25¢ on any order under \$10, for postage. No postage required for trades. Tom Wall, P.O. Box 142, East Alton, Ill. 62024

CLASSIFIEDS

WANTED: ILLINOIS trade tokens, centennial coins and medals. Have tokens to trade. Mrs. Elmer E. Wright, Box 211, Potomac, Illinois 61865
FLORIDA TOKENS WANTED: I am a new collector and can use most all material. Will buy or trade foreign coins. Hugh Roberts, 1630 South Dixie, Lake Worth, Florida 33460
BUY, SELL, TRADE MILITARY tokens. Have hundreds of Vietnam tokens for sale or trade. Ralph Baskette, P.O.Box 122, Lakeland, Florida 33802
WILCO FOOD CENTER FOOD STAMPS, Gary, Ind., Rd. Alum. 1st issue 1¢. 5¢, 10¢; 2nd issue 1¢, 10¢; 5 different \$2.50 postpaid. Kessler's (Aberdeen, S.D.) Food Coupon 1¢(Rd.Alum.) 5¢(Rd.Wood) 10¢(Rd.Wood) Set of 3: \$2.25 postpaid. Kessler's is one of only two stores known to have used wood for change in the Food Stamp Program. Jerry Bates, Box 777, St.Charles, Missouri 63301
WANTED: All trade tokens from California. Buy or trade. Also interested California So-called dollars, Masonic Pennies, encased coins, any token or medal dealing with California. John Reynolds, 458 W.San Jose, Clovis, Cal. 93612
FREE NEVADA SALOON TOKEN with purchase of a Fallon Nugget 1966 Dollar Gaming Token (Franklin Mint #DGT-35/G37/P). Proof quality in custom plastic case; only 500 minted; \$3.50 each postpaid. K.V.Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, Cal. 93514
WILL TRADE ONE SET 5¢-10-25-50-1.00 Bimetal "Grab it here Stores" tokens (as written in TAMS Oct '70) for any Bimetal set I can use. Ore H. Vacketta, 415 S.State St., Westville, Illinois 61883
"GABBY" WILL TRADE Cal. tokens for other Cal.; E.O.Norene, Turlock, 5¢(rd.br.), Oscar Johnson, Turlock, Good Eats(rd.br.), Elite, Livingston, 5¢(rd.br.), Central Cigar Store, Tracy, 5¢(rd.br.), etc. O.J. 'Gabby' Gabsa, 4565 W.170th St., Lawndale, Cal. 90260
WANTED: IDAHO TRADE TOKENS and mirror cards. Have some traders or will buy. Send token or tracing with price wanted. Frank R.Schell, Box 1122, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301
WANTED: CANADIAN POCKET MIRRORS, Ont. trade tokens, Canadian wooden nickels. Will buy or trade. Please help. Roy Stewart, P.O.Box 4481 Sta. 'C', London, Ontario
HAVE OLD LUMBER COMPANY STOCK CERTIFICATES (Cancelled) for trade. Want Texas tokens. If you have Texas tokens for sale, just list & price. Thanks. Travis Roberts, P.O.Box 1168, Bellaire, Texas 77401
NEVADA TOKENS AND MIRRORS WANTED. Will buy or trade. HAL DUNN BOX 114 Carson City, Nevada 89701
RARE COAL MINE TOKENS: I have a few pieces from "Mt. Pleasant Supply Co. No.4, Good For One Stick of Permissible Explosive." This was used by Mt. Pleasant By-Prod. Coal Co., Beatty, Pa. While they last, \$2.00 each. David E. Schenkman, P.O.Box 16122, Suitland, Maryland 20023
FOR SALE OR TRADE: Colorado trade tokens. Danny's Recreation, Limon, Colo. and Limon and Hugo, Colo. 65¢ each or both for \$1.10. Trade for Colo. or New Mexico trade tokens. George Kuchan, 1315 Royale, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80910
NEED HELP. I am preparing a catalogue on all Utah and Mormon material. Will trade or buy. Purchase photos or appreciate impressions. John L. Cross, 274 West 1400 South, Orem, Utah 84057
HAVE OVER 50 DIFFERENT FLORIDA TOKENS to trade for tokens from Fla., Ga., S.C., and other southeastern states. C.R.Clark, Box 13331, St.Petersburg, Fla. 33733
WANTED MILITARY TOKENS: I have the following to trade plus many others: Alfred E.Smith for Pres. 1928; Yale Lumber Co. Yale,Ky. 10¢ alum; Harry Franck Old Armory, DeWitt, Iowa 10¢ alum; G.E.Kegley, Monmouth, Ia 1¢ brass; Olsen Bros, Bethel, Alaska alum set; E.Wolfe, St.Paul 5¢ alum. Ray Bows, 022-34-2989 59th Ord Gp APO 09189

CLASSIFIEDS

<p>WANTED: INDIAN TRADERS, Post Traders, better Transportations from anywhere and Arizona tokens. Have many tokens from other states to trade. John Hamilton, 40 North Swan, Tucson, Arizona 85711</p>
<p>WISH TO ADD TO MY OREGON COLLECTION. Have tokens of many types and from many states to trade for material that I can use. Prompt answers to any trade inquiry. C.W.Riggs, 1703 N.E.101 Ave., Portland, Oregon 97220</p>
<p>TRADE: HAVE PENNA. V.F.W. and American Legion brass tokens to trade for Minn. / or what have you. Also have duplicate Minn. tokens for trade. R.E.Parkos, Sr., 504 S.Grand St., Lewistown, Pa. 17044</p>
<p>SEND S.A.S.E. FOR TOKEN LISTS from California (new), Idaho, Arizona, Utah and a few from Montana, Oregon and Washington. Only interested in trading for Nevada tokens. W.V.Wright, 220 South Bruce, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101</p>
<p>SMALL LOT OF TRADE TOKENS to trade for needed Kansas, Oklahoma or Christmas tokens. Still need multiple strike OPA tokens. List will be sent on receipt of request accompanied by your list of trade material. Mrs. N.J.Keel, Route #1, Guymon, Oklahoma 73942</p>
<p>FOR SALE: Ky.3150-A \$15.00. Will also consider trade offers in coins, T.T.s and trade tokens I can use. Must have city, state. Up to (20) different trade tokens with city, state for yours with city, state. Stanley L.Buckley 23-18th St., Newport, Kentucky 41071</p>
<p>TRADING OREGON, many North Dakota, and some RAM pennies for Colorado items I can use. Also interested in Washington trade tokens. Write first. Lee Nott, 139-B Waverly Way, Minot AFB North Dakota 58701</p>
<p>HAVE TO TRADE: Coulee Billiards 5¢, 25¢ Coulee & 2 dif. \$ size al. Coulee City, Wash. King's Saloon, French Gulch, Cal. One Drink sc. al. For Sale pieces I don't have. Coulee for Ore. Cal. Wash. Ida. or Nev. I need. Ed Saunders, 1204 N.E.73rd Ave., Portland, Oregon 97213</p>
<p>I AM CATALOGING AMUSEMENT TOKENS (pinball, vending, arcade, etc.) and need information about such tokens with names and city. Send rubbings or description, including size and composition, to: Stephen Alpert, 11106 National Blvd, Los Angeles, Cal. 90064</p>
<p>TRADE: 'Cozy Lane, Milbank, So.Dak.' 'Good for 10¢ in Trade.' Will trade for any merchant token. Have 200 to trade. SASE. Want to buy Civil War Tokens. Jim Farrell, Box 23, Milbank, South Dakota 57252</p>
<p>SEND 5 DIFFERENT MERCHANT TOKENS all with city and state and receive 5 different than yours, all with city and state. No canning tokens please. Charles F.Raisch, 24 Tromley Rd., Warehouse Point, Conn. 06088</p>
<p>CATALOGS "Arizona Indian Trade Tokens" \$3.00; "Tokens of Arizona Territory" \$2.00. Hal Birt, Jr., 4325 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85711</p>
<p>HAVE MOST STATES, ALL CATEGORIES: sell or trade for rare and/or scarce Civil War Tokens: Border states, Off metals, etc. like counterstamps. Shawnee Gordon, 718 Upland, Las Vegas, Nevada 89107</p>
<p>WANTED: TEXAS TOKENS of all kinds. Also buying saloon tokens from all states and old tokens reading 'good for 1 glass soda, etc.' from all states. Robert Fleet, 3013 Club Lake Dr., Tyler, Texas 75701</p>
<p>WANTED: DAIRY AND BAKERY TOKENS of the U.S. and Canada. Send descriptions and selling price or let me know what you need in trade. All letters answered. Harold L.Lesser, 32 Oneida Ave., Selden, New York 11784</p>
<p>HELLO, NEW COLLECTOR HERE! Will trade my dollar size alum. medals obv Johnnie Walker Red Scotch rev 1971 N.Y. JETS Schedule for elongated coins. My 3 T.T. for your elongated coin. In celebration of my 17th birthday this month, I'll send a free T.T. My personal token for elongated coin. SASE. Donald Noe, 1 Second St., No. Arlington, New Jersey 07032</p>



WANTED!!

ALASKAN & MISSOURI MERCHANT TOKENS.

ALSO
ADVERTISING POCKET MIRRORS
ANY STATE



Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo., 63118

A DEAL FROM MONTANA

FIVE DIFFERENT BRASS TOKENS - MIX OR MATCH

75¢ For Singles - 3 For \$2. - PLUS SASE

ANACONDA, MONT. / FRANK LOMBARDI / 5¢ in Tr. / 21mm
ANACONDA, MONT. / WONDER BAR / GF 5¢ in Tr. / 20mm
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HAMILTON, MONT. / THE SIGNAL / GF 10¢ in Tr. / 21mm
MISSOULA, MONT. / GLEASON / CIGAR / STORE / GF 5¢ in Tr. 21mm

Still want anything relating to Montana - Will trade or buy - Tokens, Medals, Woodens, Advertisers - Postal Cards - Pictures - Maps - Or what have you ??

FORD KNIGHT, 126 TAKIMA DRIVE, MISSOULA, MONT. 59801

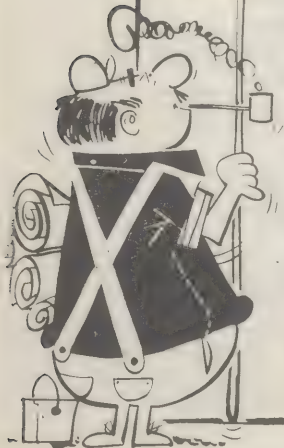
FOR SALE OR TRADE

BRONZE STATEHOOD ART medals in original box.
1 each, Penn., N.Y., Ohio, Okla., and Calif.

BRONZE PRESIDENTIAL ART medals (first 14 issues
or medals) mounted in album issued by
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OKLAHOMA TOKENS ONLY WILL BE CONSIDERED IN TRADE

Mrs. N.J. Keel, Route #1, Guymon, Ok. 73942



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Ray and Rita Nadreau, Publisher

PUBLISHER'S REPORT

MONITORING COMMITTEE:

Charles Littlefield has several items, which are being advertised on the current market, under investigation. The enclosed METCA Monitor sheet will be used to advise members of suspect items as they show up. Chriss Christiansen has coordinated with TAMS and AVA. The TAMS editor is supporting the committee with advertising and the AVA is concerned with our problem.

FAKE - FANTASY CATALOG:

Tom Wall's project is that of putting proven and suspect items into an order of easy reference. His work is closely related to the Monitoring Committee and when completed, the catalog will be a valuable guide.

ETHICS COMMITTEE:

Lee Nott has accepted the chairmanship of this committee. I will ask Dale Doty and Kendall Ballard to be counselors in this area. Both have volunteered for committee work.

METCA ORGANIZATION ELECTION:

Nothing to report at this time. I was told that Bill Coleman, our election chairman, was hospitalized as a result of an auto accident this week and I have been unable to contact him.

REMINDER:

In April of this year, Mr. George Gould discontinued his job as editor of Trade Token Topics to pursue his interest in writing a book on Montana tokens. Please send all METCA or T.T.T. correspondence (applications, articles, advertisements, etc.,) to: METCA, Box 176, Richmond Beach, Washington 98160.

THE STORY OF THE LEATHER DOLLAR

by Agnar Wahlberg, METCA #183

Numismatically speaking, the Eastern United States coinage history has been well documented, starting with the early settlers carrying on their trade with the Indians through the use of wampum and beaver skins, and in the case of Virginia, tobacco being the medium of exchange. Then going through the transition of foreign coins, tokens from England and Ireland, continuing with the accepted use of the Spanish milled dollar, or pieces of eight, becoming the standard throughout the Colonial period and ending of course with the Colonies issuing their own coins and finally the establishment of official coinage and the building of the various mints by the government.

During the same time so far as the Western portion of the United States was concerned, however, this period is pretty much of a blank where students of numismatics are concerned. Little has been found and documented as to how it operated.

In the beginning the West was sort of a buffer zone between the Russians to the North and the Spaniards to the South. With the demise of the otter and seal fur industry, the Russians sold out to John A. Sutter (of gold discovery fame) and left, leaving only the vast land grants to the South in operation. This was the era of the great Spanish land grants and sprawling ranchos, where raising cattle was the way of life. Such was the situation when Mexican rule began, which found the Missions and a few ranchos tanning leather, working it into rawhide and using tallow for candles and soap. Even consuming only the choicest cuts of beef among themselves, supply soon outstripped demand and hides and tallow piled up.

This was the condition found by John McCulloch and William E.P.Hartnell, two representatives of John Begg and Company of England, when they arrived on the scene. They soon formed a partnership known as McCulloch-Hartnell and negotiated a long-term monopoly of California trade. They contracted to take all hides offered at \$1.00 per hide and set similar prices for tallow. The \$1.00 per hide soon became the medium of exchange, thus stabilizing the trade with the Eastern portion of the United States, exemplified by the New England traders bringing 'civilized' goods to the West in exchange for the newly-found hides and tallow. These ships lying offshore from the ports of San Pedro and San Diego literally served as 'department stores' displaying the luxuries of foreign lands and receiving in return these partially cleaned, dried and folded 'leather dollars' as payment therefor. About this time the old Spanish Trail came into being and over this route a regular caravan trade soon developed, finally culminating with the movement of beef 'on the hoof' eastwardly. This, together with the discovery of gold in 1849, opened up the West and from thence forth it followed the course of the rest of the country.

Symbolic of this bit of early history and in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the State of California, a limited supply of 3,000 leather dollars was issued by a local banking institution, one of which is illustrated herewith.



WANTED!!

South Dakota trade tokens I can use. Am starting a new collection of one of a town so can use almost anything. I have tokens of most all states that are of the rarer type, plus mirror cards, medals, almost anything that you might want. If you have a S.D. town I can use, write me. I'm sure that we can make a trade.

Wm. H. Clapper, P.O.Box 52, Broken Bow, Nebr. 68822

FAKES - RESTRIKES & DIE TRIAL TOKENS

If you see any of the above advertised for sale, please send rubbing, picture or good description plus a copy of the advertisement in order that it may be investigated and published in the 'METCA Monitor' suspect list. The collection you save may be your own!

CONTACT:

Charles Littlefield	METCA #7	National Chairman
Chriss Christiansen	METCA #61	Coordinator
John Calhoun	METCA #88	Coordinator
Tom Hitt	METCA 144	Coordinator
Harold Lesser	METCA 157	Coordinator



CATALOGING

FAKES - FANTASIES - RESTRIKES

Would appreciate your sending me descriptions or rubbings of tokens of this nature for cataloging and recording.

TOM WALL

METCA Catalog Editor

P.O.Box 142

East Alton, Illinois 62024



JUST DISCOVERED !!

OLD POLITICAL CELLULOID BUTTONS

7/8 in. Black on White- Jeannette Rankin For Congress - First woman elected to the United States Congress, 1917-1919. Only \$1.00 each and SASE or will trade for any Montana token. Have several of these to trade or sell. They are rare! Would like to have a letter from all METCA members that have Montana items for sale or trade. What have you?

FORD KNIGHT - 126 TAKIMA DRIVE, MISSOULA, MONT. 59801

CLASSIFIEDS

IOWA TRADE TOKENS WANTED. I am cataloging Iowa and need tokens. I have many duplicates to trade, singles or sets. Swap list 25¢, full refund on first swap or deal. Lewis K. Ferguson, 1605 Roosevelt Ave., Ames, Iowa 50010
CIVIL WAR TOKEN Ind. 500-J R-8. English copper half-penny merchant token dated in late 1700's and penny tokens in the 1800's. Will sell or consider offers in U.S. coins or trade tokens with city and state. Will send you my list of trade tokens for sale or trade upon your request. Stanley L. Buckley, 23-18th St., Newport, Ky. 41071
INDIAN TRADE TOKENS: TEES-TO (Ariz.) 5¢ to \$1 set, \$5.00. Rocky Point Merc., Gallup, New Mex. 25¢, 50¢, \$1 set \$3.00. Mary: Gila Bend, Ariz. NCO 5¢ & 25¢, plain & red \$2.00. Hal Birt, Jr. 4325 Broadway, Tucson, Ariz. 85711
VIRGINIA TOKENS WANTED: I will pay top prices for any items needed, including trade tokens, coal co. scrip, transportation, military, merchants' tokens, etc. Please list and price. David Schenkman, P.O.Box 16122, Suitland, Md. 20023
MY TOKEN reading "Jaylen Stamps, Flushing, Ohio - Good for 5 Precancels" will sell for 25¢ each plus SASE or trade for any merchant's token with town & state. John A. Backora, Flushing, Ohio 43977
FOR TRADE for Transportation Token or tokens I can use or cash \$10.00 'J.McCargers Saloon' Good for C.O.D. Nord, Cal. Jacob Strahle & Co. Billiard Mfgs. (Pool Table) 515 Market St. San Francisco, Cal. Brass, Octagon John G. Nicolosi, 3002 Galindo St., Oakland, Cal. 94601
MEXICAN TOKENS WANTED - All types and metals (no plastic or cardboard.) Send descriptions and prices. I want to buy! Ron Jespersen, 4338 Franklin, Des Moines, Iowa 50310
I WISH TO CORRESPOND with anyone having Alaska Trade tokens, or Alaska material of any nature. Have world's largest selection of Alaska trading stock. Will trade or buy. Please write for Alaska medals for sale. All inquiries answered, prints furnished, St. Michael's Cathedral silver medals- First Airflight medal set Sitka Municipal Airport.. W.E. Nickell, 432½ So. Franklin St. Juneau, Alaska 99801
WILL TRADE L.A. Bradley/Avery Pool Hall/Avery, Idaho/Good for 5¢ in trade/Alum. for quality tokens from Mary Mine, Nev. K.V. Saunders, Box 567, Bishop, Calif. 93514
TRADE CHECKS & PERSONAL TOKENS made to order, aluminum or brass, raised letters only. 30% discount to METCA members. Price list available. E.L. Tomberlin, 14883 Washington Ave., San Leandro, Calif. 94578
HAVE 760 TOKENS 25 states. Want Montana I can use or Montana medals or any saloon tokens. Jess Wilson 535 E. Main St., Missoula, Montana 59801
WANTED: For collection California mirrors, California storecards, and California military tokens. Will buy or trade for them. Have trade tokens from following states to trade: Kan. Nebr. Colo. Calif. Ore. Wash. and few from Nev. & Ariz. John Reynolds, 458 W. San Jose, Clovis, Calif. 93612
AM CATALOGING ALL DAIRY & BAKERY TOKENS of the U.S. and Canada. Please send impressions and listing of any in your collection. Also want to buy these tokens. Send description and prices. All letters answered. Harold L. Lesser, 32 Oneida Ave., Selden, New York 11784
STILL LOOKING FOR OREGON & CALIFORNIA TOKENS: Bakery-Dairy-Confectionery-from almost anywhere! What do you have? What's your line? Have traders. Ed Saunders, 1204 N.E. 73rd Ave., Portland, Oregon 97213
MERCHANT TRADE TOKEN BARGAIN: 3/1.00 - 7/2.00 All with city and state. Free 8-page list for 2 stamps. R.H. Thatcher, 3833 Dudley, Lincoln, Nebraska 68503
HAVE CALIFORNIA MOTHER LODE TOKENS to trade for: Nevada tokens, wooden nickels or mirrors. J.L. McPheeters, 472 W. Monterey Ave., Stockton, Calif. 95204

CLASSIFIEDS

AD MIRROR FOR SALE. oval 1 1/4" x 2 1/4", Bartlett/The Jeweler/Reedsport, Oregon. The 12 birthstones illustrated in color around perimeter. Some discoloration and scratches, mirror discolored but nice piece. \$12.00 or will trade for needed Cal. merchant or trans. tokens. Warren Scott, 4909 No. 7th, Fresno, Calif. 93726

FOR SALE: Old Iowa brass tokens, read 'Redeemable at La Porte Canning Co. Office 3 cents'. Reverse reads 'For husking one basket corn. La Porte Canning Co. La Porte City, Iowa.' Tokens spotted from many years in cellar. 35¢ each, 3 for \$1.00. Stamp with single order. Chas. Robinson, Box 114, Austin, Minn. 55912

WANTED: All tokens bearing the name of PARK CITY, UTAH. Mail available inventory list or rubbings. Return postage guaranteed.
Joe J. Davich, 360 South 11th East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

FLORIDA TOKENS WANTED, also any tokens from Battle Creek, Mich., any Mormon material, old presidential campaign buttons. Will buy or trade.
Hugh Roberts, 1630 South Dixie, Lake Worth, Florida 33460

LARGE ADVERTISING MIRROR COLLECTION for trade. Trade for Alaska or Missouri merchant tokens. Will also trade for saloon tokens.
C. Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Missouri 63118

JUST FOUND UNC. BRASS 'Six Corner Restaurant,' 375 Washington Ave. New Haven, Conn: Good for 10¢ in trade, minted and issued back in 1941. Limited amount available. Send \$1.00 plus SASE. Henry S. Watcke, 42 Barbara Dr., Milford, Conn. 06460

'SANTA CLAUS' Want to buy tokens, médals, buttons, badges, postcards, seals and labels. Donald Anderson, 943 S.E. 18th Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. 55414

TRADE: Idaho Mirror Trade Check for Walla Walla Saloon tokens that I don't have. Write: F.C. Christiano, Route 2, Box 49, Walla Walla, Wash. 99362

WANTED: Texas tokens. Please look through your extras and let me know what you have from Texas. I will pay well for good Texas tokens.
Robert Fleet, 3013 Club Lake Dr., Tyler, Texas 75701

MY 4 AMUSEMENT TOKENS for each different city-state merchant token sent. Bonus for Minnesota tokens. Dick Grinolds, 2217 25th Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn. 55406

TRADE TOKENS: From Pine Bluff, Ark. (brass) with street, city & state. 2 diff. 5¢, 4 diff. 10¢, 1-25¢. Will trade one for one (same type, any state).
T.H. Robinson, 2801 W. 27th, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71601

HAVE GOOD TRADE TOKENS from 37 states to trade for Montana trade checks, or celluloid pin-back buttons depicting foreign flags.
George Gould, P.O. Box 1432, Everett, Washington 98201

DOES ANYONE HAVE Oklahoma Masonic Mark pennies to trade? Check my ad at the end of 'classifieds' in July issue. All except the Salmon, Idaho still available.
Mrs. N.J. Keel, Route # 1, Guymon, Oklahoma 73942

NORTH DAKOTA TRADE TOKENS WANTED, also other North Dakota items. Let me know what you have. All mail answered.
Glen Jorde, Box 8212, Wainwright Station, San Antonio, Texas 78208

SPECIAL NOTICE

This month the mail box of Paul Stewart (METCA # 2) was vandalized. Paul thinks there were letters containing tokens in it at the time because a youngster found a Meeker token in the street near Paul's home. Paul would like the sender of the Meeker token to contact him. Thanks.

❖ WANTED TO BUY ❖

INDIAN TRADE TOKENS OF ARIZONA & NEW MEXICO

PLEASE LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE TO OFFER.

I have AT and OT tokens and Post Trader Tokens to trade for certain, rare Indian Trade Tokens, but I prefer to buy.

Harley W. Rhodehamel
8416 Olin Road
Indianapolis, Indiana
46278

FRANK M. BEAM - Dealer in coal mine scrip tokens and miscellaneous collector items.

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WILL BUY OR TRADE. WHAT IS YOUR INTEREST ?

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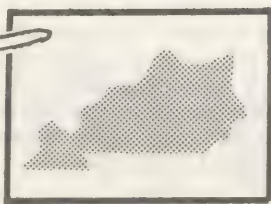
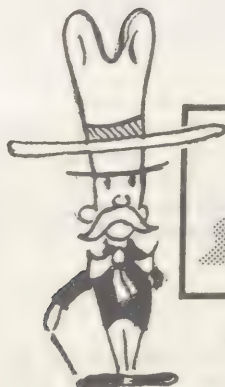
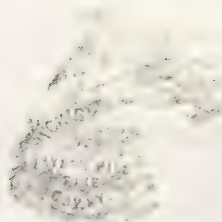
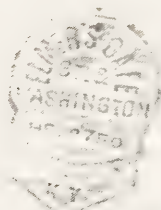
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PUBLISHER'S REPORT

ELECTION:

Only about 15 members voted to organize, so METCA will continue as it is, administered by special volunteer committees as the need demands.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MONITORING COMMITTEE:

Several METCA members have offered to make contributions either in cash or in the form of duplicate tokens to be sold by mail bid to help support the committee. Until we can raise some money, I'm sure the committee will be grateful for any help it can get in the way of cash, tokens, postage stamps, etc. Right now the committee members are digging into their own pockets to operate. Any contributions should be sent to Charles Littlefield, METCA #7.

METCA #250:

You can use this number as a pen name if you do not want your name listed in conjunction with articles, mavericks, etc. printed in the METCA publications.

REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES FOR DIES:

For those of you who wish to register dies and obtain a certificate of registration for shows, etc., I have the certificates in printing now and will be sending them to Charles Littlefield within a few days.

LETTERS OF COMPLAINT FILED:

I have received several letters of complaint against George Gould, METCA #22, for not returning tokens. (He has returned some of the tokens in question.) I have forwarded the letters to Lee Nott, METCA #6, Ethics Committee Chairman, for review. To assure George a fair hearing, I am requesting that any members having past dealings with him, good or bad, please advise Lee of such.

ANNIVERSARY TOKEN:

Forrest Dunham, METCA #9, is in the process of getting the METCA 1 year anniversary token into production. Proceeds from the sale of this token will go to the Monitoring Committee. Price and description will appear in the next issue of T.T.T.

ODD-SHAPED TRADE TOKENS OF KENTUCKY

by Stanley L. Buckley, METCA #220

Among the many places that have issued trade tokens in this country, no area seems to compare to Northern Kentucky for the many odd shapes that seem to be native only to this section. This is perhaps due to the fact that most of them were produced by the National Band and Tag Co. of Newport, Kentucky. Wright & Son of Cincinnati, Ohio also produced them for this area but did not seem to go into many of the odd types.

Northern Kentucky is comprised of the three counties of Campbell, Boone and Kenton situated across the Ohio River from Cincinnati, Ohio.

These tokens were used to promote trade by taverns and bars of the area from the end of Prohibition until after World War II. They were issued by means of a dice game, known locally as Poker Dice and Ping Pong. The end of wide-open gambling possibly had much to do with the end of their use. So popular was the game that it took the time of one man alone to operate it. With the revenue from the gambling gone, it proved too expensive for most taverns.

They were known at the time of their use as 'Beer Chips' and not trade tokens and are still called by that name when they come to light. There are still a few fraternal organizations and private clubs that use them, but they are few and the days of the wide use of tokens in this area seem to be gone.

Listed here and on the cover are a few of the odd types:



MAVERICK #311

San Andres De La Sierra, Mexico

by John L. Cross, METCA #125

Maverick #311 is a token for merchandise at the mine store, within the bounds or limits of 2 (centavos probably, but may be pesos.) San Andres is a mining and lumber town and developing other industrial businesses in the Sierra Madre Occidental Mountains of Chihuahua, Mexico. The town of San Andres is located about one hour and 25 minutes by rail (Chihuahua Al Pacifico) from the city of Chihuahua in a southwesterly direction. There are also railroad shops there.

CIGARETTE TOKENS

by John Calhoun, METCA #88

METCA Maverick #202 (identified by the author last month-Ed.) is a Cigarette Token. This token was used in 1¢ slot machines that were popular in the late 1920's and early 1930's. The slot machine player put a penny in the slot and pulled the handle; if he got certain combinations on the machine, such as two cherries and a bar, three of a kind or five of a kind, the machine would pay off in tokens redeemable for one, two, three, five, or ten packs of cigarettes, depending upon the combination won on the slot machine. There were not too many winners, however. I have one of these slot machines; it is in good working order but does not pay off very often. When I have a few pennies, I play it --- it makes an ideal bank.

MAVERICK #119

by Donald Anderson, METCA #179

Wildwood Park was a large, very popular amusement park located on the southeast shores of White Bear Lake, Minnesota. This park existed from the late 1890's until 1937. It is now the most prime area of houses and property on the lake shores. This park was located in the town of Lincoln until 1933. At that time, the area was incorporated into the village of Mahtomedi. The token pictured is from the earlier 1900's, so should be listed as Lincoln, Minnesota.

When my wife was a little tot in the 1930's, she fondly remembers the good times going out to the park by streetcar. At that time it was an all-day journey. Now it is a close-in suburb of St. Paul. My supervisor at 3M Co. worked at Wildwood Park summertimes from the time he was twelve years old until he was seventeen. I contacted the real estate agent in Mahtomedi regarding park history. He too worked there when he was a teenager.

Shawnee Gordon, METCA #230, has a token, Curto #679, Civil War Token, Fuld # Pa. 750-R, which is uniface. She wants to know if this piece was made with a blank reverse or is it an error and if so, how does this affect the rarity? Can someone help her?

SOUTH CAROLINA TOKENS WANTED!!! THE FOLLOWING FOR TRADE OR SALE

1. The Langley Mills Store/Langley, S.C.//Good for one 5¢ drink of Coca-Cola...brass, 25mm, Unc.....\$1.50
2. Aiken Manufacturing Company Store/Bath, S.C.//Good for one 5¢ drink of Coca-Cola....brass, 25mm, Unc.....\$1.50
Both for\$2.50
3. Camperdown Mill Store/1905/Greenville, S.C.//Good for 25¢ in trade. Brass, 25mm\$1.00
4. Aiken County Stores, Inc/1/L/Bath+Langley+Clearwater, S.C.//Orco...copper...2 varieties...both for.....\$2.50
5. 1965 Greer, S.C. Peach Festival Medal "antiqued" sterling silver. Registered ser #'s 147,148,149 available. Only 100 "antiqued" of 200 made. Originally cost \$10, now.....\$5.00
6. Aiken Stores, Inc/10/AS/Anderson, S.C.//Orco 1939.....brass 23mm...BU\$1.25
7. Same as 6 except 5¢..WH, 20mm, BU\$1.25
8. Aiken Stores, Inc./10/AS/Williamston, S.C.//Orco 1939..brass 25mm...BU\$1.25.....all 3 items 6,7,8,.....\$3.50
9. Aiken Stores, Inc./1.00/AS/Anderson, S.C.//Orco 1939..set of \$1.00,50¢,25¢,10¢, and 5¢.....\$3.50
10. Same as 9 except Williamston, S.C.\$3.50
11. Same as 9 except Calhoun Falls, S.C. ..\$3.50..all 3...\$10.00

Have other duplicate South Carolina tokens for trade or sale. Also want South Carolina Medals, Parking Tokens, TT's, Wooden Nickels and related items. If you have South Carolina tokens that you don't want to trade, how about sending me a photo, rubbing or drawing with the inscriptions for my cataloging ?? Thanks.

RANDY CHAMBERS - P.O. BOX 326
SENECA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29678

MAIL BID SALE

Closing Date November 10, 1971

Lot

1. Yakima, Wash The Pastime, F.B. Stanley Rd 5¢ Al Rd 2½¢ Al 1¢ Rd Br
2. Yakima, Wash The Pastime, F.B. Stanley Rd 50¢ Al
3. Yakima, Wash, North Yakima Pastime Rd Al 25¢ Rd 5¢ Br
4. Spokane, Wash, The Turf Rd Al \$1.00, Rd 25¢ Al, Rd Br 5¢ (T) Cut out in center.
5. Roslyn, Wash, W.J. Lesh, Rd Al 5¢
6. Chucks Place, Palouse, Wash, 8 sided Br 5¢
7. Walla, Walla, Wash. The Fountain. A. Schwarz, Wm Pd 5¢
8. Pullman, Wash. City Club. Rd Br 5¢
9. Tonb, Wash. Washington Union Coal Company Store 1.\$5.00 Rd Br 1\$5.00 Rd Al
10. Wapato, Wash. Jack's Place Rd Br 5¢
11. Wapato, Wash. Tiny's Tavern Large Rd Br Heads, and Tails; Drive Carefully
12. Spokane, Wash Al Morse's Recreation, 425 W. Main 1. Pd Br \$1.00. 1. Pd Al \$1.00
13. Osborn, Idaho, Osborn Club, Pain Check Rd Br Good for one drink
14. Post Falls, Idaho, The Nook Large Pd Al 5¢
15. Wallace, Idaho, The Smoke House Rd Br 12½¢
16. Eden, Idaho, Jay W. Blevins, Eden Pool Hall Scol Heavy Brass \$5.00, \$1.00
17. Shoshone, Idaho J.W. Keefer 8 sided Al 12½¢
18. Wallace, Idaho. Brown Kramer Co Inc Rd Br \$1.00
19. Ashton, Idaho Ashton Cash Grocery Rd Al 10¢
20. Cataldo, Idaho. Shoshone Log Motel Hwy 10 Rd Br 50¢
21. Moscow, Idaho. Board of trade Wm Rd 5¢
22. Elk River, Idaho Ed Allen rd br 5¢
23. Potlatch, Idaho Balch Bros 8 Sided Al 2½¢
24. Bovill, Idaho. L.G. Verdon Rd Holed Br 5¢
25. Challis, Idaho. J.H. Calvin Rd Br 5¢
26. Kellogg, Idaho, Wardner . Guy Martin Rd Br 5¢
27. Kingston, Idaho, Harry's Saloon, Rd Al 25¢, 10¢. This is a new token, But nice.
28. Burke, Idaho Miner's Inn. Rd Br 5¢
29. American Falls, Idaho Capital Bar Rd Br 5¢
30. Twin Falls, Idaho Prater's Grocery Rd Br \$1.00, 50¢
31. Teton, Idaho, Teton Mercantile, Co Dated 1915 Rd Al 10¢
32. St Maries, Idaho Ostdiek&Spiesman Scol Al 12½¢ very nice token
33. Wardner, Idaho James Patton Idaho Bar Rd Br 5¢
- Challis, Idaho, Pastime Pool Hall, Kerr& Jose Props Rd Br 5¢
35. Blanchard Idaho. Blanchard Trading Co. Rd Br \$1.00, 50¢
36. New Plymouth, Idaho. H.I. Chadwick Rd Br 5¢
37. Wibaux, Mont Wibaux Mercantile Co 8 sided Br \$5.00, \$1.00. 50¢, 25¢ 10¢ 5¢
38. Anaconda, Mont. The turf Saloon, Johnson&Burke Wm Rd good for drink or Cigar
39. (the Dalles, Oregon, Mt. Hood Saloon Rd Br 5¢ Shows Mt Hood on front.
40. (Hot Springs, Ark. Little Casino Saloon Rd Br 5¢
41. Hot Springs, Mont. S.P. Mc Donald, Montana Bar 8 sided Br 5¢
42. Kalispell, Mont Norden Cigar Store Rd Br 5¢
43. Sunrise Springs, Ariz. Sunrise Trading Co. Rd Al \$5.00
44. 10 Diffrent Washington Tokens with town and State
45. 10 Diffrent Idaho Tokend With Town and State
46. 10 Diffrent Montana Tokens With Town and State
47. 10 Diffrent Oregon Tokens With Town and State
48. 10 Diffrent Mixed Tokens With Town and State
49. 10 Diffrent Minnesota Tokens with Town and State

End Of Sale

Bids under One Dollar respectfully declined, Bid by lot number, A charge of 25¢ is made to cover postage and handling on orders under \$5.00.

JOHN CALHOUN, METCA 88 - BOX 23 - CATALDO, IDAHO 83810

MAIL BID SALE

MAIL BID ENDS NOV 15th 1971. NO DEPOSIT . BID BY LOT #
5 DAY RETURN. POSTAGE & INS WILL BE ADDED

LOT #	OKLAHOMA TOKENS	
1	SWENNEY CO. DACOMA OKLA	50¢ IN TRADE ALUM
2	L.J.BIBLER BRAMAN OKLA	25¢ IN MDSE ALUM
3	BRAND'S ALVA OKLA	5¢ IN TRADE ALUM
4	STANLEY MISKEL CAMARGO OKLA	5¢ IN TRADE ALUM
5	EARL'S REC. DACOMA OKLA	10¢ IN TRADE ALUM
6	CLAUDE SHAFER FAIRFAX OKLA	25¢ IN TRADE ALUM
7	OKLA CIGAR STORE ALVA OKLA	5¢ IN TRADE RED FIBER
8	DEAN NOVELTY MUSKOGEE OKLA	5¢ IN TRADE BRASS
9	CARMEN REC PARLOR CARMEN OKLA	10¢ IN TRADE BRASS
10	CLUB 66 SAPULPA OKLA	25¢ IN TRADE BRASS

END OF SALE. FREE 8 PAGE LIST OF TRADE TOKENS
FOR 2 8¢ STAMPS.

R.H.THATCHER - 3833 DUDLEY ST. - LINCOLN, NEBRASKA 68503 - METCA 87

WANTED - HELP

I am cataloguing UTAH and would appreciate any help that you can give me.

The work will be a historical catalogue appealing to students and historians as well as collectors and will cover all subjects and types.

I will purchase or trade and if your pieces are not available on either basis, I would be interested in photographs.

JOHN L. CROSS
274 WEST 1400 SOUTH
OREM, UTAH 84057

<p>DRUG, MEDICAL, DENTAL TOKENS, MEDALS WANTED. Also hospitals, asylums, age and orphan homes, mineral springs, baths, health resorts, ambulance, Red Cross, Temperance, A.A., etc. Have many items to trade. Leonard M. Rothstein, M.D., Route 3, Owings Mills, Md. 21117</p>
<p>TO HIGHEST BID OVER \$300.00 my Ohio collection of Merchant Trade Tokens. 205 different, 78 different towns, most brass, some bars, uniface, incuses, no mavericks. I would say the average age to be in the 1930's no moderns. Bids close 3 weeks after this appears in METCA. Thomas E. Hitt, 1380 Macon St., Aurora, Colorado 80010</p>
<p>BOY SCOUT TOKENS, MEDALS AND WOOD PIECES, and information on same, wanted for cataloging. Also would like to hear from collectors of BSA exonumia. Have little trading stock but will pay cash for anything I can use. Glenn A. Rome, P.O.Box 46071, Seattle, Wash. 98146</p>
<p>I COLLECT INDIANS ON TOKENS, MEDALS, MEDALLIONS, SOUVENIRS what have you. No Civil War cents wanted. Please send rubbings of what you have to offer. Will buy or trade. Don Finch, P.O.Box 466, Visalia, Calif. 93277</p>
<p>WESTERN SALOON TOKENS to trade for Missouri Saloon Tokens. Advertising Pocket Mirrors and many tokens from many states to trade for Missouri tokens. Rosemary Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo. 63118</p>
<p>STILL LOOKING FOR A GOOD TRADE FOR MY McCARGERS SALOON TOKEN. Check last month's T.T.T. for ad and description. All it takes to own it is a Transportation token or tokens I can use in my collection or as mentioned cash \$10.00 John G. Nicolosi, 30002 Galindo St., Oakland, Cal. 94601</p>
<p>WANTED - COLORADO TRADE TOKENS. Have several old round brass Whoop-E-Tee Whoop \$1.00 Durango, Colorado to trade. Lindy Peterson, Route 1, Box 100, Durango, Colo. 81301</p>
<p>LARGE COLLECTION OF ADVERTISING MIRRORS to trade for Alaskan, Missouri, Saloon, Military tokens. Also will trade for Missouri mirrors. Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Mo., 63118</p>
<p>WANTED: TOKENS OF THE INLAND EMPIRE, Spokane, Wash. area. Mr. And Mrs. Lee Dark, P.O.Box 7424, Spokane, Wash.</p>
<p>FOR SALE: RARE CARDBOARD TOKENS (circa 1890) from F.M. Williams, General Merchant, Ochopee, Ga. These are round, 37mm. 25¢ denomination is yellow cardboard; 50¢ denomination is white cardboard, \$3.50 each. David E. Schenkman, P.O.Box 16122, Suitland, Md. 20023</p>
<p>FOR TRADE: A COLLECTION OF WISCONSIN TRADE TOKENS for sale or trade for Colorado trade tokens. Paul W. Stewart, 3356 Leyden, Denver, Colo. 80207</p>
<p>WANTED: TOKENS OF CUBA and the Dominican Republic. If you would rather not sell, I will pay the cost of a photograph and postage. I need these for research. Gerard McLellan, P.O.Box 3479, Bayamon Gardens Sta., Bayamon, P.R. 00619</p>
<p>FLORIDA TOKENS AND PAPER MONEY WANTED. Also can use any Mormon material or anything from Battle Creek, Mich. Will buy or trade. Hugh Roberts, 1630 South Dixie, Lake Worth, Fla. 33460</p>
<p>WANTED: TOKENS FROM THE MINING TOWN OF PARK CITY, UTAH. Send rubbing, description and price desired. Thanking the METCA members for previous letters. Joe J. Davich, 360 South 11th East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102</p>
<p>FIRE SEASON'S OVER. Am ready to trade Oregon, Washington, other states for Oregon, Wash. or lumber tokens. Terry Trantow, P.O.Box 132, Forks, Wash. 98371</p>
<p>NEED NEVADA TRADE TOKENS. Have traders from California, Utah, Arizona, Idaho and Montana. W. V. Wright, 220 South Bruce, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101</p>
<p>WILL TRADE MILITARY TOKEN Stuttgart Airfield NCO & EM Club 7-AN-155 Good for 25¢ in trade, brass, uncirculated, for military I can use. 8 trades on hand. Millard Waszczak, Sr., 352 Maple St., Scranton, Pa. 18505</p>

CLASSIFIEDS

WANTED: SONORA (MEXICO) TOKENS: Alamos, Hermosillo, Guaymas, etc., pay \$20.00 for EN LA TIENDA DE QUITOVAQUITA aluminum token.

Hal Birt, Jr., 4325 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85711

'SEWARD CREAMERY CO.' Seward, Nebr., Good for 25 lbs. ice. \$2.00 P.P. Free 8 page list of tokens, two 8¢ stamps.

R.H. Thatcher, 3833 Dudley, Lincoln, Nebraska 68503

BRASS MILK TOKENS FROM GLOBE, ARIZONA, used by Indians, \$1.00 each or three different \$2.50. Brass tokens from Idaho, 4 different for \$1.50.

George & Virginia Cadwalader, Box 710, Redwood City, Cal. 94064

UP TO 20 DIFFERENT TRADE TOKENS with city and state. Will trade for your different with city, state. Will send my list of tokens for sale or trade upon request. Will buy large or small lots of exnumia. Price and describe.

Stanley L. Buckley, 23 - 18th St., Newport, Ky. 41071

NEED HELP. Am cataloging all Utah tokens, cards, scrip. If you have just one piece, please write. Also old Mormon Co-op stores of Arizona, Idaho, Nevada, Colorado, Wyoming, Canada and Mexico. THANKS.

John L. Cross, 274 West 1400 S., Orem, Utah 84057

WANTED - TEXAS TRADE TOKENS of all kinds. Also I will buy saloon tokens from all states. Will also pay well for old transportation tokens from transfer companies, etc. Robert Fleet, 3013 Club Lake Dr., Tyler Texas 75701

HAVE SEVERAL TOKENS from California, Wisconsin, West Virginia, Massachusetts, Washington, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Oregon. Trade only for Colorado tokens I need. Robert L. Brown, 1747 So. Alcott St., Denver, Colo. 80219

WANTED TO BUY: Montana tokens, medals, TT's, woodens, postcards, advertisers, Masonic pennies, most anything relating to Montana. Describe and price wanted. quick reply with cash. Ford Knight, 126 Takima Drive, Missoula, Mont. 59801

SPECIAL NOTICE

Jim Andrews, METCA #99, will send his personal token to any METCA member who sends him a self-addressed, stamped envelope. He would like to receive personal tokens from other collectors.

FOR SALE OR TRADE:

ELONGATED, ALMOST ANY STATE, TRANSPORTATION, ENCASED COINS, MILITARY, SILVER QUARTERS AND HALVES, EXPOSITION MATERIAL AND/OR SO-CALLED DOLLARS, CURRENCY-BROKEN BANK AND OTHER-LOTS OF OTHER MATERIAL.

THE ONLY THING I'LL TRADE FOR IS CIVIL WAR TOKENS, SCARCE OR RARE.

SHAWNEE GORDON, 718 UPLAND, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89107

❖ WANTED TO BUY ❖

INDIAN TRADE TOKENS OF ARIZONA & NEW MEXICO

PLEASE LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE TO OFFER.

I have AT and OT tokens and Post Trader Tokens to trade for certain, rare Indian Trade Tokens, but I prefer to buy.

Harley W. Rhodehamel
8416 Olin Road
Indianapolis, Indiana
46278

FRANK M. BEAM - Dealer in coal mine scrip tokens and miscellaneous collector items.

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*Our best wishes to all of
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IDENTIFICATION GUIDE FOR VIRGIN ISLANDS TOKENS

by Gerard A. McLellan, METCA #243

Merchant tokens in the Virgin Islands were issued between 1888 and 1892. At this time the coins from many nations circulated in the Virgin Islands. All of these countries were on the gold standard, with the exception of Mexico which kept to the silver standard. Merchants could easily make change for the coins of the different countries who were on the gold standard, but had to make change for the Mexican coins according to their silver content. Thus the merchants had tokens made in values in accordance with the Mexican silver coins. Identification of these tokens is simple. All of the Virgin Islands merchant tokens have one or more of the below-listed words or initials. I hope this listing will aid some of you who have one of these tokens but are unsure of its origin.

KEY WORDS AND LETTERS WHICH APPEAR ON VIRGIN ISLANDS TOKENS:

1. A. Burnet (incuse)
2. D.O.C. / value (incuse)
3. Mexic
4. Mexican
5. Mexican Token
6. Mex Token
7. MxSlr (struck in incuse)
8. O. French & Co. (incuse)
9. St Thomas

PUBLISHER'S REPORT

The main complaint against George Gould, METCA #22, (see Nov. 1971 T.T.T.) was about a token which was lost. Mr. Gould has since found and returned the token. METCA members writing per my request all reported satisfactory dealings with Mr. Gould. Issue dismissed.

TAMS has formed a monitor group similar to ours with Chriss Christian-sen to head it. Chriss will continue as coordinator for the METCA Monitoring Committee, thus supporting the efforts of both token groups.

A longer report next issue.

SHERROD - GUNNISON COUNTY, COLORADO

by Don Cary, METCA #169 and
Jim Wright, METCA #129

Listed in official list of postoffices 1901 through 1907

The town of Sherrod was located 200 feet off the Colorado & Southern tracks just past the little town of Woodstock, in Quartz Creek Valley in Gunnison County. The Colorado & Southern Railway Co. built a 200 foot spur to reach the settlement of Sherrod, so named because of William Sherrod who owned and operated mining property in the vicinity. The spur was built because of a short-lived mining boom in 1903. Good gold ore, running as high as \$1700 a ton, was found here in the late summer of 1903 by W. Sherrod. By September of 1903, fifty tents were pitched and several permanent buildings were erected, including the Saloon of J.A.Duran and a man named Brooks.

Located at nearly 11,000 feet altitude, Sherrod was another camp that King Winter beat. Snow prohibited work in the winter. With a short work season and the ores giving out after a short time, the town of Sherrod was virtually a ghost town by 1907. Brooks and Duran ran their saloon in 1904 and 1905, located a few feet off the C & S rightaway.

The token, shown below, is aluminum, octagon, and 25½ mm.



John Calhoun, METCA #88, has been in the hospital for a few weeks and writes that he will be slow in answering mail bids. Virgil Hansen, a friend, is helping him with replies.

Roy and Paula Stayner, METCA #199, will exchange personal tokens with those interested.

Stephen Album, METCA #196, will send his personal token to any METCA member who sends him a stamped envelope or one of their personal tokens.

IT'S THAT TIME

THE CALENDAR YEAR 1971 COMES TO A CLOSE WITH THIS DECEMBER ISSUE OF TRADE TOKEN TOPICS.

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO WISH TO SUBSCRIBE TO METCA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1972, PLEASE FORWARD YOUR \$4.00 YEARLY DUES TO METCA, BOX 176, RICHMOND BEACH, WASHINGTON 98160.

OUR THANKS TO ALL OF YOU FOR THE SUPPORT YOU GAVE US IN 1971.

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INDIAN AND OKLAHOMA

GIVE 'YOUR COLLECTION' THE BEST XMAS PRESENT AROUND

W.A. GRAHAM & CO. - \$1.00 IN TRADE - PRYOR CREEK, I.T. - Sq. Br. \$10.00

W.A. GRAHAM & CO. - 25¢ IN TRADE - PRYOR CREEK, I.T. - Sq. Br. \$10.00

C.W. WAKEFIELD - 25¢ IN TRADE - LENAPAH, I.T. - 10 Sc. Al. \$10.00

(Note: Above 3 tokens are well worn 'but nice'. Have only one of each so order quickly.)

THE FARMERS/CO-OPERATIVE/MERCANTILE/ASS'N/BLACKBURN, O.T.

GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ -IN-/ MERCHANDISE/ Oct. Al. - 23 mm \$10.00

(Same obv. as above)

GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ -IN-/ MERCHANDISE Oct. Al. - 21 mm \$15.00

One 1¢ round brass Seminole, Oklahoma Corner Bar and one 25¢ round, brass Seminole, Oklahoma Corner Bar, both tokens for \$4.00

Also have 2 supposedly rare Kaw City, Okla. alum. tokens I would like to discuss a trade on for OKLAHOMA TOKENS ONLY.

Your check or portion thereof returned if token is gone when received.

SASE PLEASE

JOHN LITCHENBERG - BOX 285 - CLAREMORE, OKLAHOMA 74017

Phone 1-918-341-1157 after 7:30 PM until 10 PM



WANTED!!

South Dakota trade tokens I can use.
Am starting a new collection of one of a town so can use almost anything. I have tokens of most all states that are of the rarer type, plus mirror cards, medals, almost anything that you might want. If you have a S.D. town I can use, write me. I'm sure that we can make a trade.

Wm. H. Clapper, P.O.Box 52, Broken Bow, Nebr. 68822



San Francisco Tokens

HIGHEST PRICES PAID OR WILL TRADE
SEND DESCRIPTIONS OR RUBBINGS

R.F. Herberg, 413 Hillside Blvd., Daly City, CA. 94014

TRADE FOR MONTANA TOKENS I CAN USE

20 CIVIL WAR TOKENS

CLUB-BAR, BEACH, N.D. - 50¢-25¢-10¢-10¢(diff.)-5¢

NOAH MELHAM \$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢ SARGENT, NEBR.

MORTON MERC CO. MINN-\$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢

SHAMROCK BAR & INN, DICKINSON, N.D. - 8 diff. pieces

KAREL & SUCHY, MDSE, CLARKSON, NEBR. -\$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢

SOUTHSIDE BILLIARDS, CHEYENNE, WYO. -\$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢

ED. GARRETTE CIGARS, CHEYENNE, WYO. -\$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢

WILMANS MERC. CO. - DIAZ, ARK

\$10.00 - \$5.00 - \$1.00 - 50¢ - 25¢ - 10¢ - 5¢

LEAF LUMBER VENEER WORKS, MISS. OCT. BR. \$2.00 MDSE.

HARVEY'S BAR, BELFIELD, N.D. \$1.00-50¢-25¢-10¢-5¢

Jess Wilson, 535 E. Main St., Missoula, Mont. 59801

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: \$4.00 OLD, RARE TOWN, rare token, D. Dusi/Templeton, Calif., G/F 25¢ Rd. Alum. Will also trade if you have Calif, Ore-Wash tokens or mirrors I can use. Only 16 available. Chriss, Box 651, Cupertino, Calif. 95014

FOR SALE OR TRADE: HICKEY BROS. COLLECTION of 76 tokens covering Midwest states. 65 different stores. Jim Guthrie, Box 545, Tombstone, Arizona 85638

WANTED: TOKENS OR MEDALS PERTAINING TO REAL ESTATE. Will buy or trade. Price wanted first letter please. Also Minnesota tokens, have traders from many states. Will send my list of traders for yours.
J. Blake Godfrey, 208 W.5th St., Aberdeen, Washington 98520

EVEN IF YOU HAVE ONLY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING COLORADO ITEMS, please let me know! I need trade tokens, transportation tokens, paper and cardboard items used in trade, medals, Masonic pennies, and wooden nickels.
Lee Nott, 139-B Waverly Way, Minot AFB, North Dakota 58701

MICHIGAN TOKENS, medals, wooden money, encased cents, etc., wanted! Have many duplicates plus transportation and parking tokens, some cash. What have you and what can you use? D.R.McKelvey, 2822 19th Ave., Port Huron, Michigan 48060

HELP! I AM CATALOGING BUSINESS TRADE TOKENS (no clubs, fairs, expos, etc.) from the following states: Conn., Mass., R.I., Vt., N.H., and Maine. Any rubbings or lists will be appreciated. Check those mail bid sale lists.
Charles F. Raisch, 24 Tromley Rd., Warehouse Pt., Conn. 06088

WANTED: In trade a Transportation token I can use for my McCarger's Saloon Token from Nord, Calif. For description see Oct. '71 T.T.T. (or \$10.00 cash)
John Nicolosi, 3002 Galindo St., Oakland, Calif. 94601

SALE OR TRADE: Mirror Saloon (Ferndale, Calif.)/Good for one drink; Bensons Billiard Parlor (Fortuna, Calif.)/Good for 5¢ in trade; Barnes & Renfro/Good for 5¢ in mdse - \$1.00 each or trade for most anything.
Donald D. Lawton, P.O.Box 505, Ferndale, Calif. 95536

WANTED: Tokens and medals and paper material from Calif. fairs (1) Calif. Midwinter Expo. 1894, S.F. (2) Panama Pacific Intern. Expos. 1915, S.F. (3) Panama Calif. Intern. Expos. 1915-16, San Diego (4) America Expo. 1935, San Diego (5) Treasure Island-Golden Gate Inter. Expo. 1939, S.F.. Will trade or buy. Have lots of different kinds exonomia to trade with.
John Reynolds, 458 W.San Jose, Clovis, Calif. 93612

MY NEWSPAPER TOKEN, good for one 2¢ Peach Edition Dispatch, for your token with town & state (any N.J.?) T.T. or personal token. My personal token for any of above. My 100 diff. elongated coins in 2 x 2 elongated holders. For best cash or rarer T.T. offer. SAE please. Donald Noe, 1 Second St. No.Arlington,N.J.07032

MONTANA TOKENS WANTED! For collection and cataloging. Interested in Livingston, Clyde Park, Gardiner, Cooke City, Big Timber, and surrounding area. Have small trading stock but will pay cash for wanted material.
Glenn Rome, P.O.Box 46071, Seattle, Wash. 98146

ROY AND I WILL SEND OUR PERSONAL TOKEN to anyone who wishes to exchange theirs or for any 1¢ token. Roy and Paula Stayner, 218 W.Hobsonway, Blythe,Cal. 92225

WANTED: Tokens issued by railroads good for drinking cups, meal checks, etc. Will buy or have many types of tokens to trade. Also want tokens from Virginia.
David E. Schenkman, P.O.Box 16122, Suitland, Maryland 20023

I WANT TO BUY OR TRADE for all Dairy and Bakery tokens of the U.S. and Canada. Please send descriptions and prices. List wants for trades. All letters answered.
Harold L. Lesser, 32 Oneida Ave., Selden, New York 11784

TRADE OR SELL: 'Geo. A. Holliday' Elkhville, Ill. Ingle System 6-Pc. set round brass trade tokens: 10 - 25- 50- 1.00- 5.00- 10.00. Want Illinois provisional tax or merchants trade tokens. Art Weilbacher, P.O.Box 142, Columbia, Ill. 62236

PENNSYLVANIA MERCHANT TOKENS WANTED: Have loads of good trading material in other states and also other types of tokens. Also need a U.S. listing of I.O.O.F. lodges, Owl lodges, and Robins lodges (by number.)
H.M.Aqua, 487 Bennett, Luzerne, Pa. 18709

CLASSIFIEDS

TRADE MY MERCHANT TOKEN with city and state or two different transportation tokens for your car wash token. Multiples needed. Marvin E. Simon, 7 Dixon St., Westerly, R.I. 02891
WANTED: G & B #2 from Chatanika, Alaska. Will pay \$125.00 cash. Need other Alaskan also. Fastest checkbook in Midwest. Charles Littlefield, 3547 Utah, St. Louis, Mo. 63118
WIFE OF FASTEST CHECKBOOK IN MIDWEST has advertising mirrors and many merchant tokens to trade for same from Missouri. HELP ME BEAT HIM TO THE DRAW! Rosie Littlefield, 3547 Utah St., St. Louis, Missouri 63118
FLORIDA TOKENS WANTED. Will trade \$5.00 catalog in foreign coins for each token I can use. Your choice of countries whenever possible. Hugh Roberts, 1630 South Dixie, Lake Worth, Florida 33460
WANTED: Post Exchange or Canteen tokens of Fort Apache, Bowie, Grant, Huachuca, McDowell, Nogales, San Carlos, Verde, Whipple B'ks, paying \$20.00 up. Hal Birt, Jr., 4325 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85711
WANTED: Desire any tokens from Park City, Utah for my collection, as am doing research work and writing 'token' articles for the oldest weekly newspaper in the State of Utah. Appreciate rubbings, descriptions and price. Thanking METCA members for their previous interests. Joe J. Davich, 360 South 11th East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102
MERCANTILE TOKENS, DENTEL, JOHNSON & REINKE, Ackley, Iowa. 10¢ thru \$3, 5 pieces alum, round. Set \$3.50. If you need traders 2 or more sets are \$3.00 each. I would like to trade for Iowa tokens that I can use. Lewis K. Ferguson, 1605 Roosevelt Ave., Ames, Iowa 50010
NEVADA TOKENS WANTED. Send list and price. Ginn Embry, 2029 Wengert Ave., Las Vegas, Nevada 89104
HAVE 30 DIFFERENT ILLINOIS TOKENS to trade for Florida tokens which I need. Also have Ohio (18), military (31), Florida (73) and many more. Send list or rubbings of Florida tokens to: C.R.Clark, Box 13331, St. Petersburg, Florida 33733
WANTED: TRADE TOKENS FROM COLORADO and New Mexico. Have tokens from 41 different Colorado towns to trade. George Kuchan, 1315 Royale Dr. Colorado Springs, Co. 80910
HAVE SEVERAL TOKENS FROM OHIO, MARYLAND, Kansas, Michigan, and Iowa. Trade only for Colorado tokens needed for my collection. Robert L. Brown, 1747 So. Alcott St., Denver, Colorado 80219
MEXICAN TOKENS STILL WANTED. I bought tokens from all who answered my previous ad except from one person who wants to swap. I don't have any tokens to swap. Ron Jespersen, 4338 Franklin, Des Moines, Iowa 50310
SEVERAL SALOON TOKENS TO SELL. Also Illinois tokens and tokens with eagles on to trade for Colorado trades. Paul Stewart, 3356 Leyden, Denver, Colorado 80207
FOUR DIFFERENT TRADE TOKENS from four different states \$1.00. Will trade up to (20) trade tokens with city, state for yours different with city, state. Send your trade list and I'll send mine. Stanley Buckley, 23-18th St. Newport, Ky. 41071
TRADE: My unc. beautifully-struck 21 mm 10 centavo, Guatemala, Central America coin for your trade token with city and state. Or my 3 transportation tokens for your trade token with city, state. Stamp please. Many trades. Virginia King, R 6, Rd 650W, Columbia City, Indiana 46725
'NEBRASKA TOKENS' Seward Creamery, Seward 25 lbs. ice, Early Dawn Stock Farm, Mead 1 qt. milk. Both \$3.00. Free 9 page list for two 8¢ stamps. R. Thatcher, 3833 Dudley, Lincoln, Nebraska 68503
PLEASE LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE FROM TEXAS. I need lumber co., saloon, general store, drug, etc. Will trade or pay well. Have 50 different Kansas and Nebraska tokens for trade or sale. Robert Fleet, 3013 Club Lake Dr., Tyler, Texas 75701
WANTED: Beer tokens (bier markes) issued in Germany for brewery workers. They read 'Gut fur ein glas bier' or '1 liter bier' or something similar. Send with price, will buy or return. Charles Robinson, Box 114, Austin, Minn. 55912
AVAILABLE NOW: "Catalogue of California Merchants' Tokens," volume one (Northern California), by Stephen Album, xxiv / 328 pp., including 45 plates. Cloth or looseleaf, reg. price \$9.00, to METCA members \$7.50, postpaid. Stephen Album, P.O.Box 4039, Berkeley, CA 94704

WANTED TO BUY

INDIAN TRADE TOKENS OF ARIZONA & NEW MEXICO

PLEASE LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU HAVE TO OFFER.

I have AT and OT tokens and Post Trader Tokens to trade for certain, rare Indian Trade Tokens, but I prefer to buy.

Harley W. Rhodehamel
8416 Olin Road
Indianapolis, Indiana
46278

FRANK M. BEAM - Dealer in coal mine scrip tokens and miscellaneous collector items.

209 Laurel Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA. 15202



METCA Monitor

HOW THE METCA MONITOR BEGAN

While printing the August 1971 issue of Trade Token Topics, I received a letter from Bill Clapper, METCA 25, relative to some tokens he had obtained through the mail which he believed to be suspect items.

I printed a flier similar to the one on the inside of this 'Monitor Sheet' and mailed it along with TTT to the members.

The rest of the story is history and can be read as you go through the pages of this year book..

Ray Nadreau

SPECIAL BULLETIN

July 24, 1971

Dear Ray:

Thought I had better get a letter to you Air Mail so that this information could hit the next issue.

A St. Paul dealer mailed me the tokens (plus about 15 other denominations of the lot) represented by impressions.

These are all reproductions and I'm afraid we are in for more of the same. The big shame is that our new collectors get stuck in the neck with them because they would not recognize them as reproductions - - and darn poor ones at that.

These are all brass and very poorly struck. In addition it looks as though they have been tumbled to give them a worn and used look.

They are all the same size which is most unusual for that many different stores. And, the fact that some of the denominations just would not be used by some of these stores.

The Watertown, S.D. set had eight different denominations???? Just not likely at all.

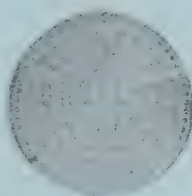
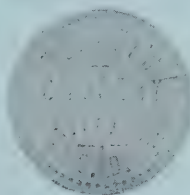
Anyway, with these as examples everyone will be a little on the lookout for. Better forewarned than sorry.

Regards,

Bice

I just got this batch of rubbings and a note from a METCA member who is a well-informed and respected tokenite. It seems to me that we should have a "suspect list" as well as a "maverick list" published from here on out. I suggest we form a monitoring committee and publish a suspect list of bad tokens for present and future members.

Ray Nadreau



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List of restrikes Dick Grinolds #218

1. Marigold Gardens Mendota Minnesota
2. House of Foster St. Paul Minnesota
3. Roberts Cigar Store St. Paul Minnesota
4. Tenney's Grocery Watertown S.D.
5. Weinholzer Tavern Forada Minn.
6. Memorial Beach White Bear Minn.
7. Adrian Dept. Store Adrian Minn.
8. Sandwich Bar Durand Wisc.
9. Dot & Bills Bruce Wisc.
10. Hammond Hotel Hammond Wisc.
11. C. M. Yineman Wabek N.D.
12. Jim's Cigar Stand (maverick)

I saw denominations of $\frac{1}{8}$, $1, 2\frac{1}{2}, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50, \$1, \$2, \5 , but not all for each business, from 6 to 8 different for each business

Above is listed tokens, the rubbings of which are on the previous page. This list was submitted by Dick Grinolds, METCA 218, after he had seen them at a coin show.

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Issue 1

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IDENTIFIED RESTRIKES:

Recently I found a token at a coin show. It wasn't cheap but it was a saloon token reading 'Harry Jones Saloon, Penn Ave. R5 Scranton, Pa.' It was rusty looking and pretty badly scratched up like it might have been rubbed on gravel or the like. I wrote to a friend about my find, and back came a whole set from that area of Pennsylvania, all brand new fakes including the one I had been taken on. However he explained that the 'R5' was not Rt 5 but was 'RS' for RESTRIKE.

Charles Robinson, METCA #82



Publisher's Note: In my opinion it is commendable that whoever made the above tokens had them identified 'RS' for restrike.

FANTASY:

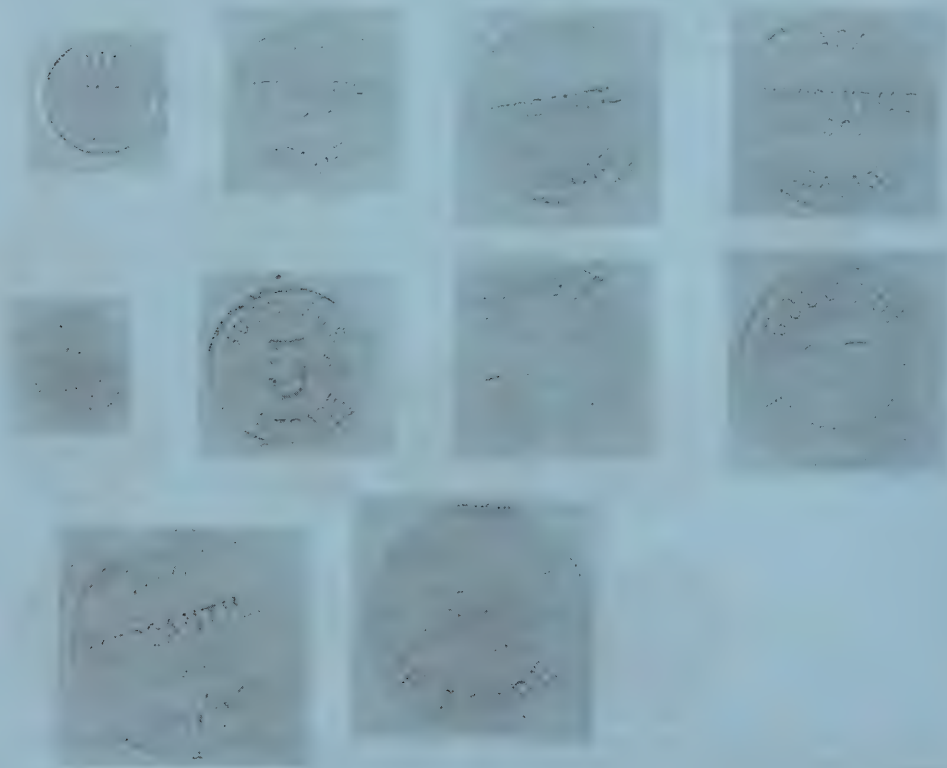
Collectors of I.T. tokens seem to be the target of makers of fantasies. The most recent discovery of a fantasy or modern set of tokens was made by Del Ford, METCA #194, at a recent flea market. It is not known if these have been advertised and in all probability are not claimed as old by a dealer handling them.

At the particular market that Mr. Ford attended, several dealers were selling them at various prices from \$3.00 per set up to as much as \$20.00 per set. One dealer said he might be able to furnish as many as 40 sets.

These are round, brass, and have the usual appearance of modern tokens with the attempt of making them appear old and worn. The obverse wording is 'ADA/MERCANTILE/CO./ADA, I.T.' Reverse is 'GOOD FOR/(50,25,10,5 or 1¢) IN TRADE.' No research has been made to see if Ada Mercantile Co. could actually have existed prior to statehood but it seems very unlikely that these particular tokens are restrikes. They have a modern look that can't be covered up with the attempted efforts to make them appear old. That is why these tokens are labeled 'fantasy' rather than 'reproduction.'

In my opinion, the only reason for a collector to have reproductions or fantasies in a collection is to help him identify them from genuine tokens. This could save much disappointment and discouragement in collecting tokens.

Jane Keel, METCA #80.



SUSPECT:

Obverse: LITTLE CASINO/SALOON/HOT SPRINGS

- Round, Brass.

Reverse: GOOD FOR/IN TRADE/5¢/ARK.

Coin dealer in the state of Washington had these a few years back. He offered them in lots of 20 for \$2.50 each. Now they are all over the Midwest going for low prices in mail auctions. This token even looks bad.

Charles Littlefield. METCA #7

THE FOLLOWING CONSISTS OF A GROUP OF 100 OBTVERSE DIES
FROM 15 DIFFERENT STATES WHICH WERE IN A P.A.C.A MAIL
BID SALE AUG. 25, 1971

Cave Creek, Ariz. Randy's Drive Inn
Tempe, Ariz. Vienna Bakery
Hot Springs, Ark. Harry's Cue Club
242 Ovachita

Alamosa, Colo. A&W Cigar Store
Eagle Colorado, Sharp's
Grand Junction, Colo. Wleker Cigar
Store

Montrose, Colo. Perotti Pool Hall

Norwood, Colorado, Pastime Club

Boise, Idaho. Sky-Lite 811 Main

Payette, Idaho Town Tavern

Charleston Ill. Smoke House

Chester Ill. BPOE 1629

Chester Ill. K of C 3790

Christopher, Ill FOE Aerie 2419

Danville, Ill. Harold's Cigar Store

East St. Louis, Ill. Gus's Nut House

(25¢ size)

Same but 25¢+ size

Fairfield, Ill. Midway Pool Hall

Grand Tower, Ill. J.H. Birkbigler

Jerseyville, Ill. Jersey Recreation

Johnson City, Ill. J.J. Ranch Rt 37

Lebanon, Ill. Club Royale

New Carlisle, Ind. Phil's Tavern

Terre Haute, Ind. Combination Cigar

Store

Burlington, Iowa Byrnsies Cigar Store

323 Jefferson St.

Halbur, Iowa Potthoff's Place

Lohrville, Iowa Frank's Tavern

Nora Springs, Ia. Friendly Inn

Nora Springs, Iowa Clifford's Pool Hall

Rockwell City, Iowa Thompson Recreation

Solon, Iowa Keesler's Tavern

Titonka, Iowa Lynn's Pool & Beer

Corning, Iowa Mack's Billiards

Cimarron, Kansas Harold & Thelma's

Recreation

Ste Genevieve, Mo. VFW Post 2210

Steele, Mo. Lonnie Pruitt

Vandalia, Mo. Livingsyon Cafe 107 West

Washington

Anaconda, Mont. The Condor Bar 10

Billings, Mont. Western Bar 2212 Minn. Ave

(5¢ size)

Same but 25¢ size.

Libby, Montana Helen Halsey's Tap Room

Missoula, Montana Missoula Lodge 556 Loyal

Order of Moose.

Doniphan, Nebr. F.D. Shields

Doniphan, Nebraska Doniphan Pool Hall

Hastings, Nebr Royal Billiards

McCook, Nebr. Brown & Son

Trenton, Nebr. H.P. Reutzel (25¢ size)

Same but 50¢ size

Beach, Mo. Dak. Leo's Recreation

Dawson, N.Dak. Kennet's Bar

Donnybrook, N.Dak. Ted's Bar (5¢ size)

Same but 25¢ size

Donnybrook, N.Dak. P.S. McKenna

Finley, No. Dak. Mile's Place (25¢ size)

Same but 5¢ size

Lankin, N. Dak. Sherek's Bar

Continental, Ohio Gunny's Pool Room

Eaton, Ohio Recreation Parlor

Germantown, Ohio Germantown Recreation

Nevarre, Ohio Spring House Dan Crecco

Warren, Ohio Smoke House

Hanever, Penn. Republican Club

Pittston, Pa. Defalco's Smoke Shop

Fort Worth Texas Old Dick's Place Stop Six

Fort Worth Texas Urban No. 2 Recreation

410 E 3rd Street

Harlingen, Texas BPOE 1889

Pinewille, W.Va. American Legion Varney

Cline Post No. 133

Burlington, Wisc. Bill Arby's Rustic Inn

(5¢ size)

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DIE LISTING CONTINUED

Same but 50¢ size

Boscobel, Wisc. Bog's Bar

Rio, Wisconsin Carl Peterson

Prarie Du Chien, Wisc. Duke Ziel's Old Faithful Inn.

Spooner, Wisc. Mike's Bar

Pavillion, Wyo. Barb's Conoco

Colwich, Kansas Anthony Mannebach,

Tony's Recreation (25¢ size)

Same but 50¢ size

Downs, Ks. Rainbow Recreation

Ellinwood, Kansas Harmons Smoke House

Hugoton, Kansas Stag Room

Independence, Kans. The Whirl

Nortonville, Kansas Weishaar Rec. & Cafe

Oskaloosa, Kans. Pat's Billiards

Randall, Kans. Yarber Recreation Parlor

Spearville, Kansas L&B Recreation

Udall Kansas Ralph's Recreation.

Barneysville, Minn. The Shamrock

Buhl, Minn. Ambrozich's Bar

Eagle Bend, Minn. Wally's Recreation

Granite Falls, Minn. Frank's Place

Houston, Minn. Flattum Grocery Yucatan Store.

Staples, Minn VFW Club No. 1910

Cairo, Mo. Ted's Recreation

Crystal City, Mo. D.L. Fortney

Malden, Mo. American Legion 293

Poplar Bluff, Mo. King of Clubs

Rolla, Mo. Continental Billiards 813 Pine

Sedalia, Mo. RRR 209 W. Main

Springfield, Mo. Down Beat Club 907 Poplar St.

St. Louis 10, Mo. South Side Home Improve-
ment 1435 S. Vandeventer Ave. Olive 5-1785

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Issue 2

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PROVEN RESTRIKE:

Silver Dollar Hotel, Denver, Colorado
Madame Ruth Jacobs, Prop.
Brass - Uniface - 45 MM

The original seller of this token issues a certificate with each token stating that the token is a RESTRIKE. Subsequent dealers, however, are advertising them as genuine. More on this to follow.

Charles Littlefield, METCA #7
Chairman, Monitoring Committee

SUSPECTS:

- * Vienna Bakery - Tempe, Arizona. The originals were only struck in aluminum and all brass ones are of recent vintage.
- * Corona Billiard Parlor
Corona, California Now being struck in aluminum, incuse.
- * Shefflers of Salome, Arizona - 25¢ Originally struck in brass, now being struck in alum., incuse.
- * The Green Frog - Blythe, Calif. Only one Green Frog Token from Blythe, Cal. known in existence, struck in brass. Now being struck in aluminum, incuse.
- * Round Up - Cabazon, Calif. Now being struck in alum., incuse.
- * Gamble or Gambel I.T.
Cardboard Tokens They are potato pickers' tokens (1 Bushel, Sack, etc.) and were mavericks until location was typed in.

Charles Littlefield

MORE NOTES ON THE PENNSYLVANIA RESTRIKES:

(As described in the October METCA Monitor by Charles Robinson)

As in most cases, a collector or Dealer feels he is bringing back old memories of the past by having some legitimate restrrike or fantasy tokens made, such as the six aluminum, 21 mm Saloon tokens from Pennsylvania. The writer was one of the first people contacted, being a collector of Saloon tokens, and was offered the set of fantasy tokens with the initials RS, denoting RESTRIKE, for a very nominal trade offer. The originator of these tokens did not pass them off as genuine. However, as in 95% of the cases it is always the 2nd or 3rd go-round that the term Restrike gets left out of the conversation and the word 'genuine' seems to take its place. This is now the case, whereby some unscrupulous dealers and collectors are passing off these tokens as genuine.

Chriss Christiansen, METCA #61

RESTRIKE:

Within the last year, a very deceptive restrrike has been introduced to the token market. The original obverse die was used, while a very close copy of the reverse was made, with no markings to distinguish from the original. The original Canteen Bar tokens were made in copper, while the restrikes were made in bronze and silver. It will be up to the collector to be able to identify bronze from copper, or to note the slight differences in the reverse diework. I'm sure that we will see these offered as originals in the near future, possibly with "age and wear." I consider the making of these restrikes to be very uncalled for, and this should serve as a good example of what can happen when token dies fall into the wrong hands. The originals are worth from \$25 to \$35, and the restrikes are being sold at \$2.50 for the bronze, and \$10 for the silver. I think that \$1.50 for the pair would be excessive. Please be alert for unusual offerings of the Canteen Bar tokens, and take notice of reverse differences below.

Tom Wall, METCA #37



ORIGINAL OBVERSE



ORIGINAL REVERSE



COPY REVERSE

FAKES:

The following two Saloon tokens, Murphy's Saloon, Victor, Colorado and the Alamo Saloon, Abilene, Kansas were purchased by a non-collector for the writer at a Minnesota Coin Show.

MURPHY'S SALOON/VICTOR, COLO.

GOOD FOR/ONE SHOT/OF/REDEYE

Brass 28 mm

ALAMO SALOON/OLD ABILENE TOWN/ABILENE, KANSAS

GOOD FOR/ONE SHOT/OF/REDEYE

Brass 28 mm

The bright brass tokens, made to look old, are definitely fakes and the unscrupulous dealer, that sold as genuine, is now on the suspect list. At one time, this dealer was known to be quite reputable but for the cost of approximately \$40.00 to \$60.00 and a profit of about \$500.00, he has jeopardized his whole operation.



In another case, the writer was contacted on a trade offer on the Saloon token below:

THE TOPIC SALOON/1890/LEADVILLE/COLO.

GOOD FOR/\$1.00/IN TRADE

Brass 34 mm

The collector in Colorado offered this 'genuine' token for \$20, very scarce, old (tumbled, scraped and made to look old) remarking that it came from an 87 year old gent's trunk. The writer was soon to find out from another collector that it was a recent strike and hundreds had been sold.

Chriss Christiansen, METCA #61

FAKES - RESTRIKES & DIE TRIAL TOKENS

If you see any of the above advertised for sale, please send rubbing, picture or good description plus a copy of the advertisement in order that it may be investigated and published in the 'METCA Monitor' suspect list. The collection you save may be your own!

CONTACT:

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Chriss Christiansen	METCA #61	Coordinator
John Calhoun	METCA #88	Coordinator
Tom Hitt	METCA 144	Coordinator
Harold Lesser	METCA 157	Coordinator



CATALOGING

FAKES - FANTASIES - RESTRIKES

Would appreciate your sending me descriptions or rubbings of tokens of this nature for cataloging and recording.

TOM WALL

METCA Catalog Editor

P.O. Box 142

East Alton, Illinois 62024



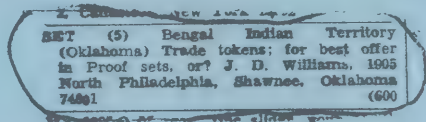
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Published by Ray Nadreau, P.O.Box 176, Richmond Beach, Washington as a supplement to the TRADE TOKEN TOPICS publication.

SUSPECT TOKEN:

In the June 1971 issue of TRADE TOKEN TOPICS, I printed a note that the J.H. Butler, Bengal I.T. token had been reported to me as a suspect token. I asked for and received no information on it at that time. The following ad appeared in the October 13, 1971 Coin World Publication (Page 62).



I now have information that these tokens were sold at the Tulsa Gun Show in April of 1962 by coin dealer Roy Baker at \$50.00 per set. In May of 1962 he advertised them in the Numismatic News at \$20.00 per set. If anyone has information relative to whether these tokens are genuine or not, please contact the Monitoring Committee. If you have any mail correspondence about these tokens stating that they are genuine, please forward it (plus the envelope it came in) to the monitoring committee. In the event that we have to run a metallurgical test to determine the alloy of these tokens, would someone be willing to donate one for what is called a destructive test?

Ray Nadreau, METCA #41

SPECIAL NOTICE

INFORMATION WANTED:

About the Spiro, Oklahoma Dunklin Brothers tokens.

CAMP SUPPLY REPRODUCTIONS:

Indian and post trader tokens are the true pioneers of the opening of this country west of the Mississippi. These are very similar to the modern and more common trade checks of recent years. One restrike is definitely known. It is not known how long these have been around or if they have been advertised on the open market. The original is yellow brass, 25 mm, reeded edge and some of the lines of the legend are curved or undulating, as shown below:



The reproduction is bronze, 25 mm, plain edge and all of the lines straight except for those following the outside curve of the token, as shown below:



The one specimen of the reproduction, that I have seen, has been tumbled to age it and give it the appearance of wear and use. There are still traces of the polishing compound left on the token.

Jane Keel, METCA #80

PUBLISHER'S NOTE: I have information that reproductions of the Camp Supply tokens have been sold by the following:

Bill Hoge, Oklahoma
George Adams, Sharon, Oklahoma
Wally Akers, Ralston, Oklahoma

I might also mention that these tokens are the same size as a U.S. Quarter. I have information that Public Law 278 forbids the making of tokens which are the same size as U.S. currency. Is this true? This is a question that maybe one of our attorney members could answer.

Ray Nadreau

FAKE AND/OR FANTASY:

With permission of the originator, Clark Cooney, Sunnyvale, California, the following article is more information on the Anchorage, Alaska, #10, 'The Canteen Bar' token, as reported previously in METCA MONITOR, Issue #2.



Even though this newly-made token is not marked as a restrrike, it is honestly felt that no deception was intended. Mr. Cooney advertised these restruck or fantasy tokens as such in Coin World, approximately 2-15-71, offering the bronze at \$2.50 and the silver at \$10.00. Invoice #2395, dated 12-30-70 from Meyer and Wenthe, was written for 500 pcs. bronze, 10 pcs. silver and 500 pcs. of his own personal copper token, all the same size, 30 mm, all with the Alaska #10 obverse, 'Native Copper', 2 new dies supplied by Meyer and Wenthe and retained by them, and all tokens shipped on March 10, 1971.

DO YOU HAVE THE ORIGINAL ?

To get at the meat of the matter, the original dies, borrowed from Mr. Cooney, show a decided difference. The lettering is smaller, at the top of the reverse die, between 11 & 12 o'clock, in the letter 'E' of the word 'THE' is a small hairline crack or die-break approximately 5½ mm long, the c sign is straight up and down and as long as the denomination figures of 12½. Because of the noticeable flaw in the original die, Meyer & Wenthe made up 2 new dies, with decided differences, in order not to fool or cheat the collector into thinking he has the original. Any questions on the above may be referred to Clark Cooney, 374 E. Duane St., Sunnyvale, California 94080 and his own personal token is available for trade on other personal tokens.

Chriss Christiansen, METCA #61, TAMS #1718

REPORTED RESTRIKE:

The token is 22 mm, brass, round.

Obv: NELLIE'S HIDE-AWAY/ (orn.)/ 87½¢ / (orn.)/ CARBON, NEVADA.

Rev: GOOD FOR/ (star) 87½¢ (star)/ IN/ MERCHANDISE



A Mr. Terry du Pont III, P.O.Box 426, Fallon, Nevada 89406 wrote me a letter which I received on Nov. 18, 1971 in which he stated the following:

He has the only original Carbon, Nevada tokens he knows of and that he had 500 made for client gifts to his customers. He states that he can tell the originals from the ones he had made. He also states that he will not sell the Carbon, Nevada tokens in his possession which he knows are original. He states that he has quite a bit of history about Carbon, Nevada which he says was moved and relocated on 3 adjacent sites between 1887 and 1900.

I have written to Mr. du Pont asking him to document the Carbon, Nevada location and file it with his attorney or with METCA. I have information that over a dozen different publications on Nevada ghost towns, old maps, the book "A Century of Nevada Post Offices, 1852-1957" by Frickstad and Thrall plus a Nevada authority on mines and mining for that state did not confirm that a Carbon, Nevada ever existed. Mr. du Pont has either made a rare find or has created a fantasy that has cost collectors in Nevada a lot of time to try and solve. While awaiting Mr. du Pont's reply, I'm asking the Nevada collectors to each send the Monitoring Committee an estimate of how much time and money (also personal loss) they have spent in their Carbon, Nevada research efforts as a result of this token appearing on the market. The Monitoring Committee would like any U.S. mail (plus envelope it came in) that may have been received about the Carbon, Nevada token and if possible one of the tokens. We will want this information just in case Carbon, Nevada and its original token never existed.

Ray Nadreau, METCA #41

METCA Mavericks

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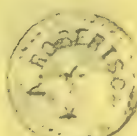
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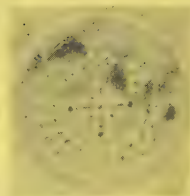
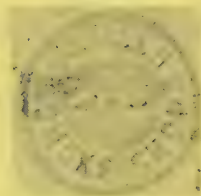


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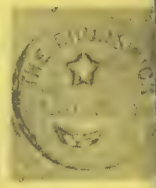
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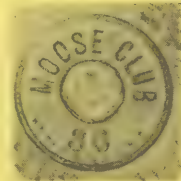
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- 39 - The Haig/800/N. Dearborn St./5¢ Rd. Brass
 40 - Rossi & Son/423/ N. Commercial St./5¢ Rd. Brass
 41 - The Exchange/Bar/501/ So. 13th, St., 5¢ Rd. Al.
 42 - Ben Meyer/112/W. San Antonio/Street/5¢ Rd. Al.
 43 - Ogden/5¢ Rd. Brass
 44 - Hardin Recreation/Blank/Rd. Brass
 45 - Geo's/5¢ Rd. Brass
 46 - H.N.S.C./Club/House/One Drink Rd. Brass
 47 - O.L. Wallin's/Billiard Parlor/5¢ Rd. Brass
 48 - Hagel's/Billiard/Parlor/10¢ Rd. Brass
 49 - H.J. & Co./12½¢ Rd. Brass
 50 - H. & M/6/ Store/5¢ Rd. Brass
 51 - New/Pla-House/5¢ Rd. Brass
 52 - L. & B./5¢ Rd. Brass

- 53- Leepers/Cigar/Store/5¢ Rd. Brass
- 54- The Club/5¢ Rd. Brass
- 55- Capitol Club/Inc./12½¢ W. Metal Rd.
- 56- Sun Set/Inn/0ool Hall/5¢ Rd. Al.
- 57- Hill City Smoker/5¢ Rd. Al.
- 58- E&W Smoke House/5¢ Brass
- 59- C & L Concessions/5¢ Brass
- 60- S L/66 Third St./5¢ Brass
- 61- C.C. Rucker/5¢ Brass
- 62- Holt & Heckard/5¢ Alum
- 63- Frank Gatliff/Billiard Parlor/5¢
- 64- Pioneer Mercantile Co./5¢
- 65- Fois'ys?5¢ Brass
- 66- James Macon/2½¢ Alum
- 67- T.E. Lyons/5¢ Brass
- 68- The Tralle Saloon/1125 Grand Ave.
- 69- Keefe & Thompson/Central Bar/Fountain-Bowling
- 70- P. Holland/1543 Curtis St.
- 71- Tim & Mikes Place/Chicago Hotel

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NEW OPERA SALOON

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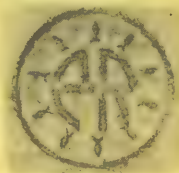
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METCA Mavericks

81



The Bowery Fred Solomon Prop
Good for one Bowery Special Feed

82



Good For 5¢ in Merchandise
at J.M. Nugent's Store

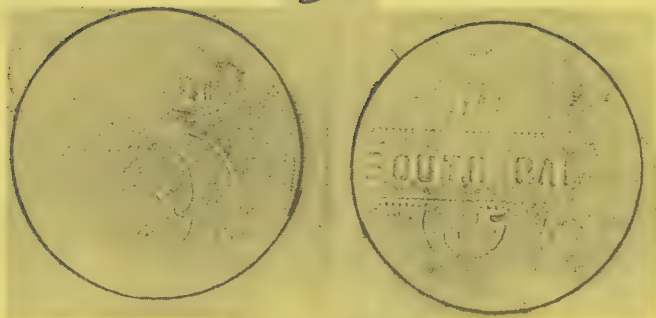
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Good for 5¢ in
Merchandise

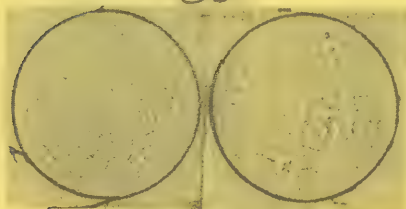
Leo (Lion)

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South Park 5

85



Ravenhall 25

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Houses Bakery 612 Downey Ave.
Good for 5¢ Loaf of Bread

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MAVERICKS IDENTIFIED

Maverick Number	Identification, (State, Town, etc.)	Identified By
No. 17	Calhan, Colorado	Jim Wright
No. 26	East Turner Hall 2130 Arapahoe St. Denver, Colorado	Jim Wright
No. 31	Tacoma, Washington	Forrest Dunham
No. 38	Moose Lodge No. 36 Hamilton, Ontario, Canada	R.E. Parkos Sr.
No. 40	Trinidad, Colorado	Jim Wright
No. 50	Hemenway & Moser , Cigar Store No.6, Burley, Idaho	Blaine M. Simons & Frank R. Schell
No. 53	Gooding, Idaho	Frank R. Schell
No. 55	Ely, Nevada	J.L. McPheeters
No. 60	Spokane Lunch Portland, Oregon	Forrest Dunham
No. 65	Prosser, Washington	Forrest Dunham
No. 70	Saloon Token Denver, Colorado	Jim Wright & Blaine M Simons



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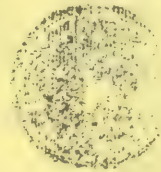
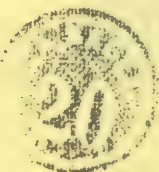
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LUCKY LANDING A.M.C



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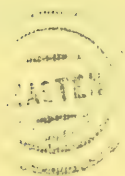
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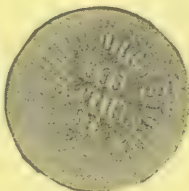
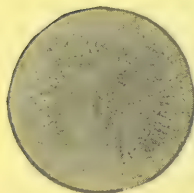
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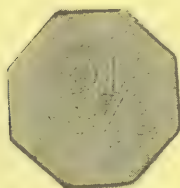
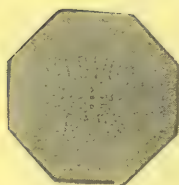
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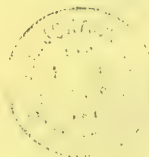
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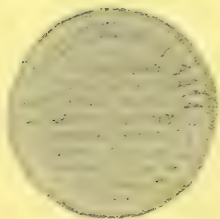
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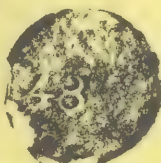
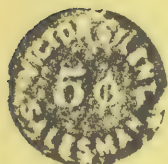


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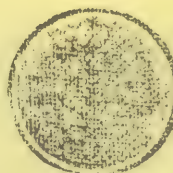
1ST CO. FT C. EX.



#133

CAMP D.B. BIRNEY
1897

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VICTOR SILENT
SALESMAN

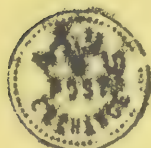
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A.S.M.S.

IDENTIFIED MAVERICKS

Baltimore Billiard Hall on the February Maverick list was owned by Andrew Eddy in Victor, Colo. Identified by George Kuchan METCA 161

No. 30 from Palmer, Alaska. Identified by Ron Benice METCA 70

No. 40 from Trinidad, Colorado. Identified by George Kuchan METCA 161

No. 73 is U.S. Navy support activity, Camp Tien Sha Da Nang, Vietnam. Identified by Ray Bows METCA 81

No. 76 and 80 are depression era tokens used in slot machines at penny arcades etc. over all of the U.S. (no one state) Identified by Herman Aqua METCA 44

No. 85 from New York City. Identified by Ray Bows METCA 81

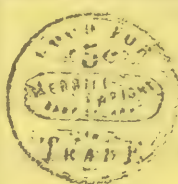
METCA Mavericks



#137



Obv: GLOBE/714/WALNUT ST.
Rev: GOOD FOR/2½/IN TRADE
(Oct, Brass., 25mm)



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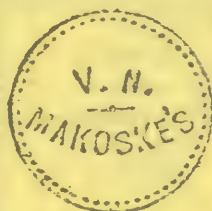
Obv: GOODFOR/5¢/MERRILL & WRIGHT/BANK
EXCHANGE/IN/TRADE
Rev: THE J.M. BRUNSWICK & BLAKE COS.
(pool table) (Rd, Brass, 25mm)



#138



Obv: ELI'S/PLACE
Rev: GOOD FOR/12½/IN TRADE
(Sc, Brass, 27mm)



#142

Obv: V.N./MAKOSKE'S
Rev: GOOD FOR/25¢/IN/MERCHANDISE
(Rd, Brass, 29mm)



#139

Obv: ONE/LOAD/SAM GAINER
Rev: BLANK
(Rd, Brass, 23mm)



#143

Obv: FULLER'S/HOME/MADE/BREAD
Rev: GOOD FOR/1/LOAF
(Sq, Alum, 25mm)



#140

Obv: GOOD FOR/5¢/SOHNS/DRINK
Rev: BLANK
(Rd, Brass, 23mm)



#144

Obv: L.T. COVEY/BERMUDA BAR
Rev: GOOD FOR/5¢/IN TRADE
(Rd, Brass, 21mm)



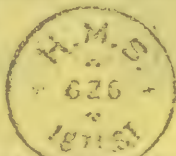
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THE RIEDT STORES CO.
GOOD FOR TRADE ONLY AT
STORES OF THIS COMPANY
(BRASS 21MM)



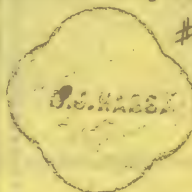
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ERVIN'S/BILLIARD/HALL
GOOD FOR 5¢/AT/OPERA HOUSE/
BAR (COUNTER STAMPED 10)



#146

H.M.S./626/18TH ST
(BOTH SIDES SAME)
(BRASS, 23MM)



#151



G. J. HAAS
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE



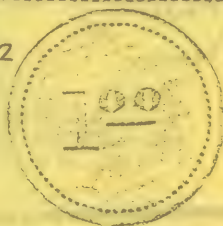
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S N K
GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE
BRASS



#152



POST EXCHANGE/100/PESO/
FORT MILLS - 100



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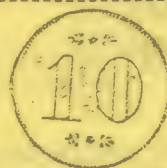


BUFFALO THEATRE/
LOUIS DUMPATER

25



#153



OCCIDENTAL/HOTEL
10



#149



CYRUS/GLISSON/& CO
GOOD FOR 1/PINT/MILK



#154



AMERICAN THEATRE/5¢



#155

ATLANTIC BILLIARD HALL
ED. L. LINZ - 5 CENTS

#161

EAT BETTER FOR LESS / MEDICKS NICKEL
REDEEMABLE FOR A / 5¢ / PURCHASE / OF
FOOD OR DRINK / IN MEDICKS STORE /
BEFORE DEC. 1952

#156

MANITOU CLUB
GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE

#162

MOTE BROS
GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE

#157

VILLA BUFFET CO / 6242 /
COTTAGE GROVE / AVE
GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN MERCHANDISE

#163

BAR VAUBAN (BOTH SIDES)



#158

THE ANDERSON / BUFFET / 1401 /
WELLS ST.
GOOD FOR / 25¢ / IN TRADE

#164

ANTON SKLENOFSKY

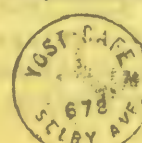


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ST. / 5 / ELMO



#165

GARRISON CIGAR CO. /
225 / W GRAND AVE / GOOD
FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE (BRASS 21 MM)

#160

YOST CAFE - 678 - SELBY AVE



#166

L.N. LYKKE
GOOD FOR 5¢
AT BAR



#167

VALLEY VIEW INN
GOOD FOR 10¢ IN TRADE



#170

H.A. KUHLMANN'S
EXCHANGE

GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE



#168

S.L. GILSON
IN TRADE ONLY



#171

KELLER BROS / 5¢ IN TRADE
1900 (?) OLIVE ST



#169



SOUTH SIDE / BILLIARD ROOM
GOOD FOR 10¢ IN TRADE



#172

GOOD FOR 5¢ /
IN TRADE
HALE & FLYNN

REVERSE IS TYPICAL
BRUNSWICK, BALKE COLLENDER CO.

IDENTIFIED MAVERICKS

- No. 57 from Hill City, Kansas.
- No. 64 from Susanville, Calif.
- No. 73 Viet Nam, U.S. Military Club
- No. 111 from Colorado Springs, Colo.
- No. 112 from Hastings, Nebr.
- No. 117 from Central City, Colo.
- No. 124 from Concordia, Kan.

- Identified by Bill Flood
- Identified by Duane H. Feisel
- Identified by Duane H. Feisel
- Identified by Paul Stewart
- Identified by Russell Thatche
- Identified by Paul Stewart
- Identified by Bill Flood

PUBLISHERS NOTE:

My reproduction of the maverick rubbings leaves a lot to be desired so I will start using word identification similar to the AVA and TAMS maverick listings as soon as I get the rubbings I have on file published. If you are sending me maverick lists to publish, please send word description with rubbing.

Thank you

Ray Nadreau

METCA Mavericks

#173

Alum.



Good for \$5.00
In Trade



Exposition
Department
Store



Same except brass

brass



J. Conio

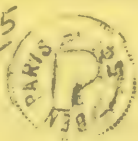


Good for 5c in trade

molve sf in small letters at bottom

#174

#175



brass
5c

Ben Paris

(P in center)

Obv. and Rev. same



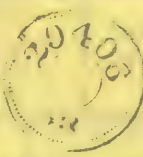
Exposition Cotton
Mills Store

Alum.



Good for 5c
in trade

#176



20406
brass



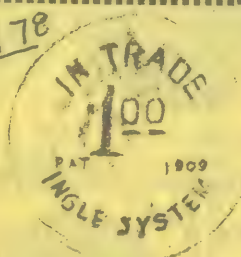
Good for 5c in trade
(hole in center)

#177



W.A. Patterson
1.00
Copper

#178



In trade 1.00
Ingle System
Pat. June 1909

#179



Good for 25c
Leopold
White medal

#180



Good for 5c
Leopold
White medal

#181

BRASS-21 MM

#182

BRASS-21 MM

#183

BRASS-21 MM

H.C. GILFELLEN
HAPPY'S PLACE
GOOD FOR 5¢
IN TRADE

ARCHERS PLACE
GOOD FOR
10
IN TRADE

H.L.N. GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

#184

ALUM-20 MM

#186

ALUM-21 MM

#187

ALUM-21 MM

J.J. BRYAN

GOOD FOR
2½¢
IN TRADE

A.N.N. GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

LACY'S PLACE GOOD FOR
103 SIXTH ST. 2½¢
F. ROBINSON IN TRADE

#188

COPPER

#189

WHITE METAL

#190

BRASS



FULTON
CLOTHIER



BLOW YOUR
TIRES UP
FREE



PORTERFIELDS
DRUG STORE
(REVERSE BLANK)

ONE
GLASS
SODA
OR
MILKSHAKE



PALACE
BAR



GOOD FOR
12¢
IN TRADE

#191

ALUM

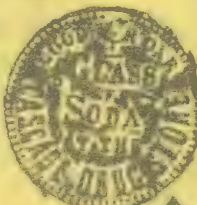
#192



FRONTIER
BOYS



GOOD FOR
ONE DRINK



GOOD FOR ONE GLASS OF SODA AT
THE CASCADE DRUG STORE



THE BEST
IS NONE
TO GOOD
FOR YOU

#193

ALUM

#194



WHITE TOWER



GOOD FOR
5¢
UPON
RETURN
OF
BOTTLE



BARRES
DRUG STORE
ONE GLASS
SODA

#195



ROCKY MOUNTAIN
BELL TELEPHONE
CO



ONE
LOCAL
SWITCH

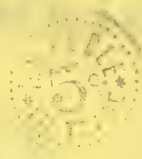
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C.J. WELD
BUFFET
CARTER &
WARNE

OBV
BLANK

#197



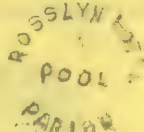
N.H. NOBLE
5¢
IN TRADE

OBV
BLANK

#198



GOOD FOR
2 1/2 ¢
IN TRADE



ROSSLYN HOTEL
POOL
PARLOR

#199



ALLISON
BILLIARD
PARLOR



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

#200



KEOUGH



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

#201



PANCRATIA
HALL



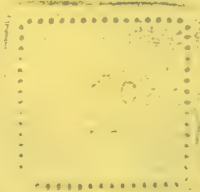
GOOD FOR
10¢ IN
MERCHANDISE

#202



GOOD FOR
1 PACK
OF
CIGARETTES

#203



1¢



LIBBY
BLUE ISLAND
1¢

#204

CLARIDGE HOTEL
50¢
PARIS

50¢

#205

1

#206

ALUM

KEEP ME
AND NEVER
GO BROKE

ENCASED
CENT

FOR DRINKS
CALL B&B

5-1714/5-2714

THE OWL
SALOON

GOOD FOR
2 1/2¢
IN TRADE

#207

ALUM

#208

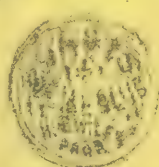
BRASS



DARVIN POOL
AND LUNCH ROOM



GOOD FOR
12 1/2¢
IN TRADE



BASIS SOCIAL
CLUB/ H.R. WILEY
PROP.



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

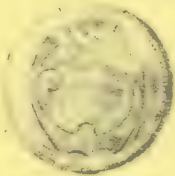
MAVERICK IDENTIFICATION

No.	From	Identified by	METCA #
34	New Plymouth, Ohio	Charles Ross	42
37	Argula, West Virginia	Thomas E. Hitt	144
76	Red Lake Falls, Minn.	Harry Sailor	5
108	Kirksville, Mo.	Thomas L. Wall	37
114	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
		Harry Sailor	5
116	Thule, Greenland	Donald Anderson	179
119	Lincoln, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
145	Hartshorne, Dow & other northeastern Oklahoma towns	Horace M. Moser	31
		Thomas L. Wall	37
		Mrs. N.J. Keel	80
		Charles Ross	42
152	Cavite, Corregidor, Philippine Islands	Duane H. Feisel	108
		R.A. Baskette	205
159	Old Colorado Ghost Town	Paul Stewart	2
160	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
		Harry Sailor	5
		Thomas L. Wall	37
161	New York, N.Y.	R.A. Baskette	205

METCA

Mavericks

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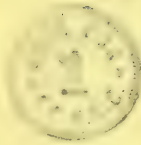


VERY FINE
FILAGREE



GOOD FOR 25¢
IN TRADE

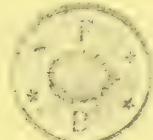
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GOOD FOR
1 P.C.H.S.C.



#211



F B

#212



GOOD FOR
10¢
IN TRADE



A. TURAK
SH 5655
3146 W. 14TH ST.

#213



D.B.M

#214



U-B

#215



CHAS. BICK & CO
DEALERS IN
CHICAGO



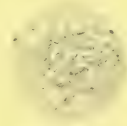
GOOD FOR 5¢
GEO. NEWER
IN TRADE

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#217



M.N. Co
25
H.S.

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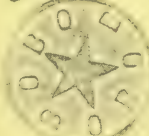
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#219



LORENCE
REC.

#220



BOBBOBO

#221



AL'S
PLACE

#222



MN Co
100
H.S.

#223



GOOD FOR
6 1/4¢ IN TRADE

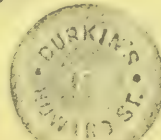


DURKIN'S
121 HOWARD ST

#224



GOOD FOR
6 1/4¢ IN TRADE



DURKIN'S
121 HOWARD ST

#225



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WAB

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCAL NO.
226	HAROLD/H.B./R.	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
227	SELBY/FIN/&DALE	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
228	CONKLIN'S	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
229	VI/xx/VIII	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
230	CORNER/365 PAYNE/AVE./BAR	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
231	J J K	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
232	BYER'S/ PAR	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
233	ARLINGTON/L-G/CAFE	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
234	JACK/K-K/ BOB	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
235	TOM/144/GOSSIE	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
236	J/408/c	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
237	599/PAUL'S/NO. DALE	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
238	D H R	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
239	ROXY/ BAR	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
240	468/LOU	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
241	TED BIES/353/UNIVERSITY	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
242	501	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
243	COMO/CR/ REC.	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
244	WOLVE'S/ DEN	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
245	T/266/UNIV. AVE./G	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
246	JOHN/M/ MAUER	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
247	H/Z/G	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
248	ANN & FRANS/310/UNIV./	PLACE SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
249	THORNES/CAFE	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
250	ACE/BOX/BAR	SAME	20	wh. met. rd.	27
251	TUNNEL TAVERN/T.T./293 SELBY	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
252	PASTIME/HANNA & O'NEILL	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
253	BELLS/NOVELTY/CO.	GOLD FOR 5¢/IN/MUSE/AT RETAIL	20	br. rd.	187
254	L & B	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
255	OWYHEE BUFFET	GOOD FOR 12½¢/IN TRADE	24	br. rd.	187
256	TIVOLI BAR/1207 PACIFIC AVE.	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
257	IRVING/SALES CO.	NO VALUE/FOR/AMUSEMENT ONLY	20	br. rd.	187
258	C. A. S. B.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	ALUM. rd.	187
259	B. B.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	19	ALUM. rd.	187
260	ISC	SAME	25	br. rd.	187
261	KING COLE/K/PHARMACY	SAME	20	br. rd.	187
262	THE NEVADA/C.V. DRAKE, PROP.	5	25	br. rd.	187
263	TIM HIGGINS/217/STATE ST.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	19	ALUM. rd.	187
264	NATIONAL PIANO/MFG./CO.	GOOD FOR 1/PIECE OF MUSIC	20	br. rd.	187
265	AMERICAN/L.B.W. CO./36 E 15th	GOOD FOR 2½¢/IN TRADE	24	br. rd.	187
266	HAYES SMOKE SHOP	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
267	5	GOOD FOR 5¢/MILKBOX/IN MUSE	23	br. rd.	203
268	CONSOLIDATED RACKET STORES BEST VALUES	GOOD FOR ONE/LENT/IN MUSE	19	br. rd.	203
269	BARBER SHOP/20th & GRAND/ A.L. HUTTINGER	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	203



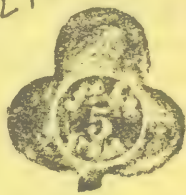
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F.M.B.CO./156 (counter-stamped)//GOOD FOR/1/GLASS (brass)



#271



C.H./WOLFE//GOOD FOR/5/AT BAR (brass, incused lettering)



#272



WM ORTH/ 1020 W. 322 ST.//GOOD FOR/5 cents/IN TRADE (zinc)



#273



LASSUS//GOOD FOR/5/CENTS (brass)

MAVERICK IDENTIFICATION

No.	Identified by
36. Spotted Calf Bar, Newport, Kentucky	Stanley L. Buckley Newport, Kentucky
86. Houses Bakery, 612 Downey Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.	Lewis L. Egnew, Port Townsend, Wash.
112. Froschheuser Cigar Store, 107 No. Lincoln Ave. Hastings, Nebraska	George Niederauer Miller, South Dakota
175. Ben Paris Recreation, Seattle, Wash.	Lewis L. Egnew
195. Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co. Hailey, Idaho	Frank Schell Twin Falls, Idaho
Denver, Colorado	Paul Stewart Denver, Colorado
Salt Lake City, Utah	John Cross Orem, Utah
198. Rosslyn Hotel, Denver, Colorado	Paul Stewart
206. The Owl Saloon, 74 East 2nd South, Salt Lake City, Utah	John Cross

METCA

Mavericks

#274



ED. RIPPE
GOOD FOR 5¢/AT THE BAR
(all letters incuse)

#278



10/PURCELL'S/
BAR NO.1 (Brass,
plain reverse)

#275



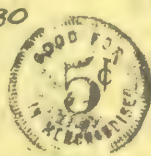
H. C. GERNES/PROP./OF THE/BAR/
163 E.3rd ST.
GOOD FOR/5¢/IN TRADE

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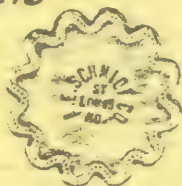
KRIEGS PHARMACY
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

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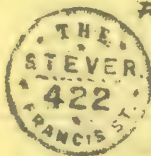
CURTIN
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN MERCHANDISE

#276



ORPHEUM BILLIARDS/2 1/2¢/
IN TRADE/A.E.SCHMIDT CO./
ST. LOUIS/MO. (brass)

#277



THE STEVER 422 FRANCIS ST.
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

#281



CAMP SULLY EXCHANGE
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

Maverick Owners:

#274 & 275 by METCA #5

#276 & 278 by METCA #65

#277 & 279, 280, 281 by METCA #81

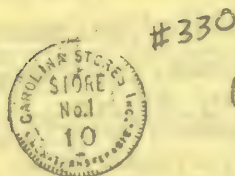
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282	H (STENCIL CUT) / 2 1/2 ¢ (INCLUDE)	?	19	COPPER rd.	203
283	ROBERTSON'S DRUG / & / JEWELRY / CO.	GOOD FOR / 12 1/2 / IN / MERCHANDISE	24	brass rd.	163
284	FAIR	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	Alum rd.	163
285	THE PALACE / POOL / RESTAURANT	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
286	D. S. / BAKER	GOOD FOR / 10 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
287	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ IN TRADE / AT / O + K +	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	25	Alum rd.	163
288	NIELSEN'S / POOL / HALL	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	22	Alum. rd.	163
289	PASTIME AMUSEMENT / PARLORS (STAR CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 CENTS / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
290	Mc / A. S. C.	GOOD FOR / 25 ¢ / IN TRADE	24	brass rd.	163
291	Mc / A. S. C.	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
292	3 - K	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	22	brass rd.	163
293	J. A	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
294	G. W. / BROWN	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
295	FORD & FISKE (CIRCLE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
296	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / J. H. / IN TRADE	5	21	Alum rd.	163
297	JACK 'N BOX	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
298	C. W. T.	GOOD FOR / 6 1/4 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
299	BROOKS AND POWELL (SQUARE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
300	THE / ASTOR / CLUB	ARK'S / PLACE	21	brass rd.	163
301	OFFICE / POOL ROOM (CIRCLE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
302	D. L. C. / 57	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ / 57 / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
303	FREDDIES	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBSERVE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
304	BUSS	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
305	BAGS / & / BILL	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
306	GOOD FOR 5¢ / / 01 / IN TRADE	SAME	21	brass rd.	163
307	S.L. / BILLIARD / SALOON	5 / CTS. (WITHIN 10 STARS)	21	wh. metal rd.	37
308	J.W. SHEERER + CO. / 20	BRAYAGE / 20 / CENTS	30	brass rd.	37
309	GUTH	10 CHECKS / GOOD / FOR / 1 PINT	23	brass rd.	37
310	HAFER & HAGERMAN	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	37
311	VALE EN EFECTOS EN LA TIENDA / 2 / DE RAYA	CIA MINERA DE / 2 / SAN ANDRES DE LA SIERRA	24	odd wh. metal rd.	37
312	W.R. WILSON / 1 ⁰⁰	IN TRADE / 1 ⁰⁰ / PAT. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	35	brass rd.	37
313	S. POTTER / \$ 1 ⁰⁰	COPYRIGHT / \$ 1 ⁰⁰ / IN TRADE	35	bronze rd.	37
314	INDIAN HEAD w FEATHER HEADDRESS	DOCK'S PLACE / GOOD FOR / 5¢	25	brass rd.	37
315	THE BRUNSWICK BALKE COLLENDER CO. / CHECK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / CHAS. DAHNIKE / IN / TRADE	25	brass rd.	37
316	BLANK	KUESER'S BUFFET / GOOD FOR / 2 1/2 ¢ / JEFF. & PARK	20	brass rd.	37
317	S.G. ADAMS / S. & S. CO. / ST. LOUIS	LACEWELL PROV. CO. / 1 PT. / MILK	23	brass rd.	37
318	ROYAL MUSIC HALL / 5¢	SAME	23	brass rd.	37
319	S.M.B.C. (PENNANT WITH 1 STAR)	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	alum rd.	37
320	EDGEWATER GULF HOTEL / CHILD / SWIMMING POOL	SAME	26	black- colored rd.	37
321	THE HOLT COAL CO. / NOT TRANSFERABLE	10 ¢	25	brass rd.	37
322	THE ALBANY BAR / 625 S. ADAMS ST. (SHAMROCK CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR 5¢ / AT THE BAR	21	brass rd.	37
323	C.F.W. LEUTZ / 5	5	23	brass rd.	37
324	W.F. PAMPLIN / 1 ⁰⁰	IN TRADE / 1 ⁰⁰ / PATD. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	35	white metal rd.	37
325	NICK SANDRO / ITALIAN / INTERPRETER	GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	37

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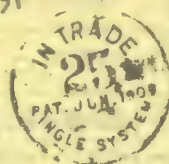
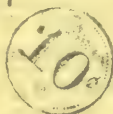
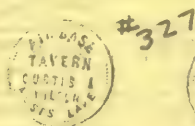
No.		IDENTIFIED BY
202	Cigarette Token	John Calhoun
214	Universal Bar, 2424 University Ave. St. Paul, Minn.	Cataldo, Idaho Harry Sailor
218	St. Paul, Minn.	Warren, Minn.
219	Large bar and bowling alley in St. Paul, Minn. Still in business.	Harry Sailor Donald Anderson Minneapolis, Minn.
221	South St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
223	Spokane, Wash. This establishment later	John Calhoun
224	became known as Durkin & Ulrich at 415 Main St. in Spokane where it is still in business today as Ulrich's	Irene Alexander Spokane, Wash.
225	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
227	Selby Ave. & Dale St., St. Paul, Minn.	Dick Grinolds Minneapolis, Minn.
230	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor Donald Anderson Dick Grinolds
233	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
237	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson Anderson, Grinold Sailor
239	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
241	Liquor store in St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinold
242	'Nickel Joint' St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
243	Bar now, no longer bowling, St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
244	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
245	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinold
246	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
248	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
249	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Sailor
250	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
251	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds, Sailor
252	Klamath Falls, Oregon	John Calhoun
256	Tacoma, Washington	John Calhoun

METCA Mavericks



EMPLOYEES CLUB P.O. CO. SECT 35-B
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

Carolina Stores, Inc. No. 1
non-transferrable

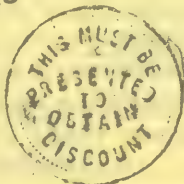


AIR BASE TAVERN CURTIS AND WILSON
MOSES LAKE

10¢

brass

PmM. Durham In trade
25 25
Ingle System



The W.A. Riddle
Co. Stockholder
304

This must be
presented to
obtain discount

BRASS:
21MM



Maverick Owners:

OBVERSE: THE NEW COMSTOCK or
GRAND PACIFIC BAR
REVERSE: Good for 12 1/2¢ in trade.

#326 & 327 by METCA #81
#328, 330 & 331 by METCA #56
#329 by METCA #226

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M. M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
332	L.O.O.M./No. 200	SPECIAL	20	BRASS rd.	250
333	AT/PALACE/POOL ROOM	GOOD FOR/ 2½¢/ IN TRADE	25	BRASS rd.	250
334	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ H. BRO- DERSON/ DRINK	5	24	BRASS rd.	250
335	BUZZARDS/ROOST/CIGAR STORE/HILGER BROS.	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	24	ALUM. rd.	250
336	C.P./DANCE CHECK	BLANK	28	ALUM. SCALLOPED	250
337	SIGN OF THE TURK/ CHALONER'S	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	28	BRASS HEART SHAPED	250
338	ARTEMIS/ 1	BLANK	26	BRASS rd.	250
339	B.P.O.E./ 1023	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	21	BRASS rd.	250
340	BARNES/&/ RENFRO	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	24	ALUM. rd.	250
341	BEK'S/CASA LOMA	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	20	BRASS rd.	250
342	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ W. FRITZ/ IN/ TRADE	5 IN CIRCLE OF STARS	25	BRASS rd.	7
343	DW. SW. FLORYANA/ C.O.F./ No. 1284	5	24	BRASS rd.	7
344	I.N. LITTLE	GOOD FOR/ 1/ QUART OF MILK	24	BRASS rd.	7
345	K.S. LUCAS/ COL. STEEL/ CLUBHOUSE	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE "OVERSTAMPED" 4	20	BRASS rd.	19
346	OTAY BAR/ AND/ POOL HALL/ 544/ 5 TH ST.	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	25	ALUM. OCTAGON	46
347	MILLERS/ COACHES	SAME	20	WHITE METAL rd.	46
348	MODEL BILLIARDS/ 1322/ DOUGLAS ST.	GOOD FOR/ 25¢/ IN MERCHANDISE	25	ALUM. OCTAGON	46
349	LOUNGE COW PALACE/ 5¢	SAME	20	BRASS rd.	46
350	MICK'S/ BILLIARDS	GOOD FOR/ 10/ IN MERCHANDISE	20	ALUM. rd.	46
351	E.O. BERHELMAN/ PHONE/ MAIN 3307	AUTOMATIC/ MUSICAL CO./ 14 W. THIRD ST.	20	BRASS rd.	174
352	JACOB/ CHARNIK	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	20	WHITE METAL rd.	174
353	MURPHY'S/ 335/ SHELTON/ AVE./ TAVERN	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	16	ALUM. rd.	174

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M. M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
354	3 STARS/DEER'S HEAD W ANTLEERS/ M.O.	SAME	20	brass	250
355	THE/BRUNSWICK/BALKE/ COLLENDER CO.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ WM./ SCHAEFER	25	brass	250
356	GAZABO/901/ HULBURT ST.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	brass	250
357	HARRY C. JENSEN/135 S. LA- SALLE ST./IMPORTED CIGARS/ & EVERYTHING FOR SMOKERS	GOOD FOR/10¢/ IN TRADE	23	Alum. rd.	250
358	106 / CO.	GOOD FOR/ONE/ GAME POOL	20	brass	250
359	K/20/POOL	5 ¢	20	brass	250
360	ELEPHANT	HAYS/5¢	21	white metal rd.	250
361	AT THE HOME POOL (FIVE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR/5 (CUT- OUT)/IN MERCHANDISE	25	brass	250
362	HOWARD'S/V/SMOKE HOUSE	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	brass	250
363	GOOD FOR/1/GALLON/ WILL R. JONES	BLANK	25 17	brass OVAL	250
364	KLU/KLUX/KLUB	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum rd.	250
365	AT/MELROSE/CIGAR/ STORE	GOOD FOR/5/ IN TRADE	25	brass	250
366	F.G. MILIGAN/5¢/ TRADE	SAME	20	brass	250
367	DINTY MOORE'S/ PLACE	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum, rd.	250
368	W.L. BELT DRUG CO./ 5¢/IN TRADE	SAME	20	brass	250
369	GOOD FOR/5¢/L. BISCHEL/IN/TRADE	5	26	brass OCTAGON	250
370	J. BOIST/322 5 th ST.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ AT THE BAR	20	brass	250
371	BRAUNSPORT/BILLIARD/ ROOM	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	Alum rd.	250
372	SYMES/BUILDING/BUFFER	12 1/2 / CENTS	21	white metal rd.	250
373	WM. H. WEYEN	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	25	brass	250
374	ROB./YORK	2 1/2 ¢ / IN TRADE	25	brass	250
375	(MAN ON HORSE BACK) G. S.	GRANDSTAND/5¢	23	brass	250

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
376	L. / TOUTLOFF	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	174
377	J.W. GILREATH / 100	IN TRADE / 100 / PAT. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	34	COPPER rd.	174
378	BOLLING & GOEHLING / HANCOCK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE AT THE BAR	20	brass rd.	174
379	GOOD FOR FIVE CENTS / A / IN TRADE	SAME	20	brass rd.	174
380	ADVERTISING KEENEY'S REFRESH MINTS	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE (OCTAGONAL CUT-OUT)	20	brass rd.	174
381	PIONEER / MERCANTILE COMPANY	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	rd.	27
382	THE BRUNSWICH-BALKE COLLENDER / CHECK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / C.E. WEAVER / IN TRADE	25	brass oct.	203
383	THE / CIRCLE	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / WITH BOTTLE	19	brass rd.	203
384	J.G.C. / 1 (INCUSE)	BLANK	20	'rd.'	149
385	FREE RIDE / C.L.A. / AND SHOP	SAME	22	rd.	149

MAVERICK IDENTIFICATION

NO.		IDENTIFIED BY
	F. McCarrier / 5¢ (listed in Feb. 1971 list)	Santa Cruz, Cal. Charles V. Kappen San Jose, Cal.
81	The Bowery, Los Angeles, Cal.	Charles V. Kappen
130	Silent Salesman Co. Indianapolis, Indiana	Tom Hitt Aurora, Colorado
203	Libby / Blue Island Blue Island, Illinois	Tom Wall East Alton, Ill.
212	A. Turak, Cleveland, Ohio	Tom Wall
264	National Piano Mfg. Co., San Francisco, Cal.	Charles V. Kappen
266	Hayes Smoke Shop, Healdsburg, California	Charles V. Kappen
308	J.W. Sheerer & Co., Memphis, Tennessee (listed by Miller as Tenn. #39)	Tom Wall
311	San Andres de la Sierra, Mexico	John L. Cross Orem, Utah
312	W.R. Wilson, Douglas, Georgia	Tom Wall
316	Kueser's Buffet, St. Louis, Missouri	Tom Wall
321	The Holt Coal Co., Cleaton, Kentucky	Tom Wall

METCA Mavericks

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SCOTCH
DOLLAR

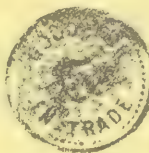


SCOTCH DOLLAR MONTH
APRIL 10TH TO MAY 10TH
LEATHS

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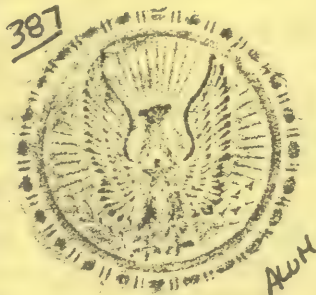


MAYFLOWER
(BRASS)
21 MM



Good For
5¢
IN TRADE

387



EAGLE WITH STAR



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J. L. WRIGHT
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7 STARS
(BRASS)
18 MM



IN TRADE ONLY
INGLE SYSTEM
PAT APR 7,
1914

388



BYRON WILL TREAT
YOU RIGHT



GOOD FOR 12 1/2¢
IN TRADE

392



SOUDAN
SUPPLY CO.
25
NOT TRANSFER-
ABLE



REDEEMABLE
BY EMPLOYEE
ON PAY DAY
WHEN DUE
25

389



JUNIOR MERCANTILE COMPANY
REDEEMABLE IN WIDE ONLY



Maverick Owners:

#386 & 387 by METCA 230

#388, 389 & 392 by METCA 6

#390 & 391 by METCA 219

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
	DOLGHNUTS/AT/KRISPY KREME/ 2372 FLORIDA ST./DL 2-5888	REDEEM THIS/COIN FOR FREE/COFFEE AND DONUT/			
393		AT OUR SHOP/SEE YOU SOON!/OPEN 24 HRS.	22	Alum. rd.	37
394	F. KUNST/GOOD FOR/1/ DRINK	BLANK	23	brass rd.	37
395	G.W. LUKE/1	IN TRADE ONLY/1/INGLE SYSTEM/PAT. APR. 7, 1914	17	brass rd.	37
396	BILLIARDS/DAZETS/ SOFT DRINKS	GOOD FOR/20¢/ IN TRADE	21	copper rd.	88
397	THE OWL POOL & BILLIARD/ ROOM/HULL BROS./PROPS.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
398	C.H. ROBISON/& SON/ CLUB HOUSE	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
399	HUNT & MOORE/ PROPRIETORS	GOOD FOR/1/ DRINK	21	copper rd.	88
400	THE CLUB/ED. &/ JOE TATHAM	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum. rd.	88
401	McCOY/& REID/ EAGLE/BAR	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	26.5	Alum. oct.	88
402	(PICTURE OF S. PT. STAR) D.L. DILLON	GOOD FOR/10/CTS./ IN TRADE	24	Alum. rd.	88
403	5	GOOD FOR/5¢/ H. LITCHFIELD/IN TRADE	28.5	Alum. \$ SAILOR	88
404	TOM KELLY/THE/ CLUB	GOOD FOR/ONE/DRINK/ OR/CIGAR	19	Alum. rd.	88
405	INDEPENDENT/A/ POOL HALL	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum. rd.	88
406	BARRETT/CIGAR CO./ INC.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
407	P. & M.E.M./ PASTIME/N.Y.	5	21	brass rd.	88
408	MINT POOL HALL (CIRCLE CUT-OUT)	5¢	21	brass rd.	88
409	STATZER/CLUB	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20.5	brass rd.	88
410	S.V. McLEAN/ 739 MAIN ST.	5¢/IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
411	CONWAY POOL HALL (HEART CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
412	WHITE/HORSE/PEST CONFECTIONERY	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
413	GOODMANS/555/ HARNEY/ST.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER NETCA NO.
414	THE/GLAD-RAG-DOLL/ NOVELTY/CO.	FUN/TOKEN	21	brass rd.	88
415	WHEELHOUSE (CROSS CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	88
416	CLIFF ALBRIGHT/ PASTIME/CLUB	GOOD FOR/10¢/ IN TRADE	22.5	brass cut.	88
417	JANTZEN/20 POINTS/ BEACH	ONE/WIN/TOKEN		brass rd.	7
418	15/TIVOLI	15		brass rd.	7
419	GREEN RIVER LUMBER CO./BALDI	GOOD FOR/25¢/ IN TRADE		brass rd.	7
420	F.J. FESLER/5/ⓕ	IN TRADE/5/PAT. JUNE 1909/INGLE SYSTEM		brass rd.	7
421	FLAMINGO/5¢/CLUB	SAME		brass rd.	7
422	SNOWBALLS/TAVERN	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE		brass rd.	7
423	I. ENGEL & CO.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE		br. metal brass w/ Alum	
424				center rd.	7
425	R.J. ZIEGLER/5	IN TRADE ONLY/5/INGLE SYSTEM/PAT. APR. 7/1914		white metal rd.	7
426	UNION PACIFIC COAL CO./ 5/STORES	GOOD FOR/5 IN MER- CHANDISE/OR CO PAT. PEND/ THE OSBORNE REGISTER			888
427		CO./CIN. U.S.A. (U CUT-OUT)		brass rd.	7
428	C.A. THARP	GOOD FOR/ONE/ CIGAR		white metal rd.	7
429	L.B. GOLDEN/5/ NON TRANSFERABLE	IN TRADE ONLY/5/INGLE SYSTEM/PAT. APR. 7, 1914		brass rd.	7
430	FOWLER'S TAVERN	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN DRINKS		brass rd.	7
431	PROPRIETOR/STAR HOTEL/ AND/BAR/PAT MEYER	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE		brass rd.	7
432	IND./BREW CO./AMERICAN/ E.T.W./5	UNIFACE		brass rd.	7
433	NEW HAMPSHIRE/ CLUB	GOOD FOR/5¢/ AT BAR		brass rd.	7
434	HAYNES/SERV. LE/ STATION	GOOD FOR/CTS 5 CTS/ IN TRADE		Alum. rd.	7
435	W./ATWATER/ POOL HALL	V/IN TRADE		brass rd.	7

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO
436	ROYAL SALOON/GROSS & SON (◇ CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR/5 CENTS/ IN TRADE		BRASS rd.	7
437	439 CLUB/15¢/ IN TRADE	UNIFACE (HORSESHOE SHAPED)		GREEN OXIDIZED ALUM.	7
438	439 CLUB/5¢/ IN TRADE	" "		REG. ALUM.	7

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289	Pastime Amusement Parlors Cashmere, Washington	Lewis L. Egnew Port Townsend, W
327	Air Base Tavern, Moses Lake, Wash.	Lewis L. Egnew
332	L.O.O.M./No. 200, Ft. Wayne, Indiana	Herman Aqua Luzerne, Pa.
337	Sign of the Turk/Chaloner's Adrian, Michigan	D. R. McKelvey Port Huron, Mich.
339	B.P.O.E./1023 Coldwater, Michigan	Herman Aqua D. R. McKelvey J. Blake Godfrey
348	Model Billiards, 1322 Douglas St. Omaha, Nebraska	Elaine Swanson Omaha, Nebraska
349	Lounge Cow Palace, Vietnam Military Club	Herman Aqua
358	106/Co., Fort Worden, Washington	Lewis L. Egnew
376	L./Tutloff, Ishpeming, Michigan	D. R. McKelvey
378	Bolling & Goehling, Hancock, Michigan	D. R. McKelvey
380	Slot and/or vending machine token	Herman Aqua J. Blake Godfrey
383	The/Circle, East McKeesport, Pennsylvania	Herman Aqua
385	Free Ride and Shop, Center of Lebanon Asso- ciation, Lebanon, Pa.	Herman Aqua D. R. McKelvey John Nicolosi Oakland, Cal.

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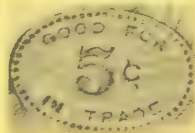
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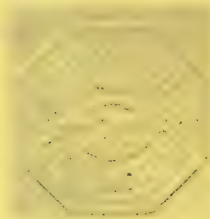


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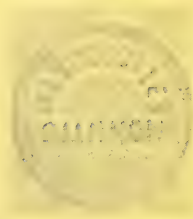
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 41 - The Exchange/Bar/501/ So. 13th, St., 5¢ Rd. Al.
 42 - Ben Meyer/112/W. San Antonia/Street/5¢ Rd. Al.
 43 - Ogden/5¢ Rd. Brass
 44 - Hardin Recreation/Blank/Rd. Brass
 45 - Geo's/5¢ Rd. Brass
 46 - H.N.S.C./Club/House/One Drink Rd. Brass
 47 - O.L. Wallin's/Billiard Parlor/5¢ Rd. Brass
 48 - Hagel's/Billiard/Parlor/10¢ Rd. Brass
 49 - H.J. & Co./12½¢ Rd. Brass
 50 - H. & M/6/ Store/5¢ Rd. Brass
 51 - New/Pla-House/5¢ Rd. Brass
 52 - L. & B./5¢ Rd. Brass

- 53- Leepers/Cigar/Store/5¢ Rd. Brass
 54- The Club/5¢ Rd. Brass
 55- Capitol Club/Inc./12½¢ W. Metal Rd.
 56- Sun Set/Inn/Oool Hall/5¢ Rd. Al.
 57- Hill City Smoker/5¢ Rd. Al.
 58- E&W Smoke House/5¢ Brass
 59- C & L Concessions/5¢ Brass
 60- S L/66 Third St./5¢ Brass
 61- C.C. Rucker/5¢ Brass
 62- Holt & Heckard/5¢ Alum
 63- Frank Gatliff/Billiard Parlor/5¢
 64- Pioneer Mercantile Co./5¢
 65- Fois'ys?5¢ Brass
 66- James Macon/2½¢ Alum
 67- T.E. Lyons/5¢ Brass
 68- The Tralle Saloon/1125 Grand Ave.
 69- Keefe & Thompson/Central Bar/Fountain-Bowling
 70- P. Holland/1543 Curtis St.
 71- Tim & Mikes Place/Chicago Hotel

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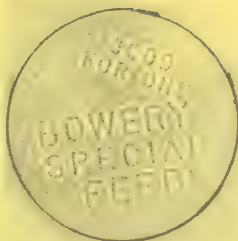


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The Bowery Fred Solomon Prop
Good for one Bowery Special Feed

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Good For 5¢ in Merchandise
at J.M. Nugent's Store

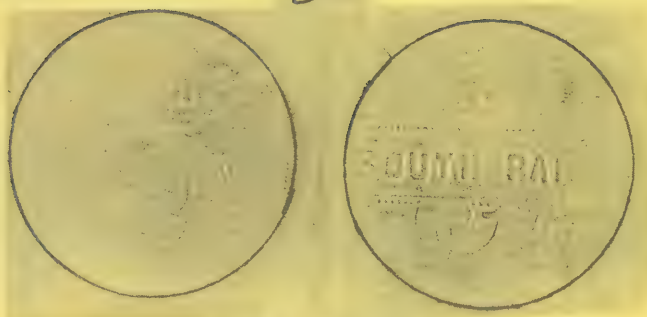
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Good for 5¢ in
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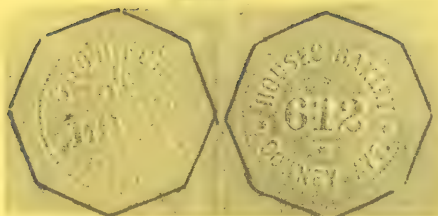
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Ravenhall 25

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Houses Bakery 612 Downey Ave.
Good for 5¢ Loaf of Bread

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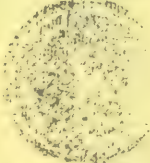
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No. 26	East Turner Hall 2130 Arapahoe St. Denver, Colorado	Jim Wright
No. 31	Tacoma, Washington	Forrest Dunham
No. 38	Moose Lodge No. 36 Hamilton, Ontario, Canada	R.E. Parkos Sr.
No. 40	Trinidad, Colorado	Jim Wright
No. 50	Hemenway & Moser , Cigar Store No.6, Burley, Idaho	Blaine M. Simons & Frank R. Schell
No. 53	Gooding, Idaho	Frank R. Schell
No. 55	Ely, Nevada	J.L. McPheeters
No. 60	Spokane Lunch Portland, Oregon	Forrest Dunham
No. 65	Prosser, Washington	Forrest Dunham
No. 70	Saloon Token Denver, Colorado	Jim Wright & Blaine M Simons

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PEARCES FOUNTAIN



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LUCKY LANDING A.M.C.



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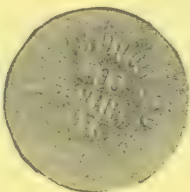
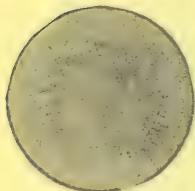
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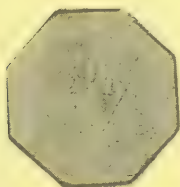
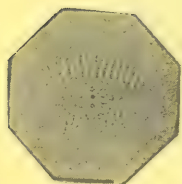
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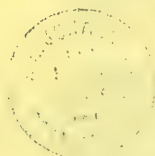
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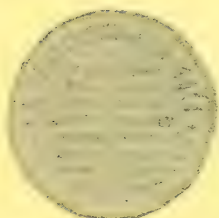
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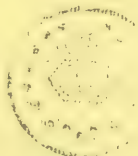
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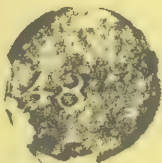
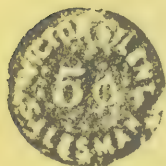


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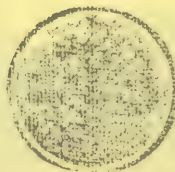
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CAMP D.B. BIRNEY
1897

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VICTOR SILENT
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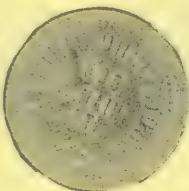
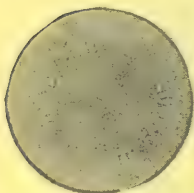
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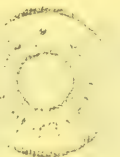
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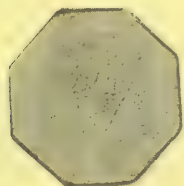
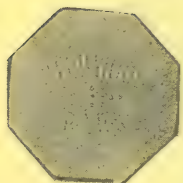
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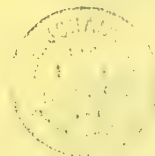
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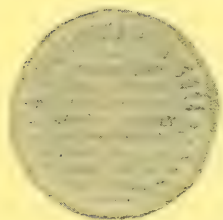
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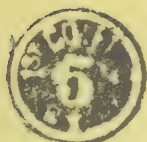
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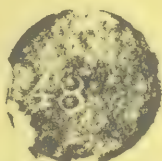
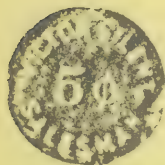


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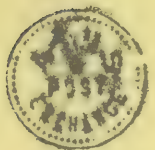
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#173

Alum.



Good for \$5.00
In Trade

Exposition
Department
Store.

Same except brass

brass



#174

#175



brass
5¢

J. Conio

Good for 5¢ in trade

Ben Paris

(P in center)

molded in small letters at bottom

Obv. and Rev. same



Alum.



#176



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Exposition Cotton
Mills Store

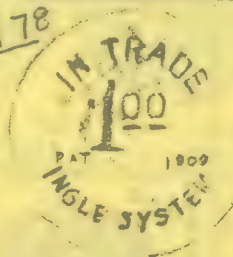
Good for 5¢
in trade

20406
brass

Good for 5¢ in trade
(hole in center)



#178



W.A. Patterson
1.00
Copper

In trade 1.00
Ingle System
Pat. June 1909

#179



Good for 25¢
Leopold
White medal

#180



Good for 5¢
Leopold
White medal

#181

BRASS-21MM

#182

BRASS-21MM

#183

BRASS-21MM

H.C. GILFELLEN
HAPPY'S PLACE
GOOD FOR 5¢
IN TRADE

ARCHERS PLACE
GOOD FOR
10
IN TRADE

H.L.N. GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

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ALUM-20MM

#186

ALUM-21MM

#187

ALUM-21MM

J.J. BRYAN

GOOD FOR
2½¢
IN TRADE

A.N.N. GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

LACY'S PLACE GOOD FOR
103 SIXTH ST. 2½¢
F. ROBINSON IN TRADE

#188

COPPER

#189

WHITE METAL

#190

BRASS



ONE
GLASS
SODA
OR
MILKSHAKE



FULTON
CLOTHIER

BLOW YOUR
TIRES UP
FREE

PORTERFIELDS
DRUG STORE
(REVERSE BLANK)

PALACE
BAR

GOOD FOR
12¢
IN TRADE

#191

ALUM

#192



THE BEST
IS NONE
TO GOOD
FOR YOU

FRONTIER
BOYS

GOOD FOR
ONE DRINK

GOOD FOR ONE GLASS OF SODA AT
THE CASCADE DRUG STORE

#193

ALUM

#194



GOOD FOR
5¢
UPON
RETURN
OF
BOTTLE



BARRES
DRUG STORE
ONE GLASS
SODA

WHITE TOWER

#195



ROCKY MOUNTAIN
BELL TELEPHONE
CO



ONE
LOCAL
SWITCH

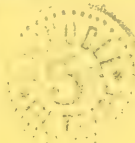
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C. J. WELD
BUFFET
CARTER &
WARNE

OBV
BLANK

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WARNE

#197



OBV
BLANK

N. H. NOBLE
5¢
IN TRADE

#198



GOOD FOR
2 1/2¢
IN TRADE



ROSSLYN HOTEL
POOL
PARLOR

#199



ALLISON
BILLIARD
PARLOR



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

#200



KEOUGH



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

#201



PANERATIA
HALL



GOOD FOR
10¢ IN
MERCHANDISE

#202



GOOD FOR
1 PACK
OF
CIGARETTES

#203



1¢



LIBBY
BLUE ISLAND
1¢

#204



CLARIDGE HOTEL
50¢
PARIS

50¢

#205

A

#206

ALUM

KEEP ME
AND NEVER
GO BROKE

ENCASED
CENT FOR DRINKS
CALL B & B
5-1714/5-2914

THE OWL
SALOON

GOOD FOR
2 1/2¢
IN TRADE

#207

ALUM

#208

BRASS



DARVIN POOL
AND LUNCH ROOM



GOOD FOR
12 1/2¢
IN TRADE



BASIS SOCIAL
CLUB/H.R. WILEY
PROP.



GOOD FOR
5¢
IN TRADE

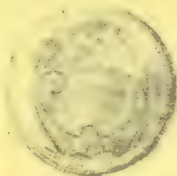
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No.	From	Identified by	METCA #
34	New Plymouth, Ohio	Charles Ross	42
37	Arcula, West Virginia	Thomas E. Hitt	144
76	Red Lake Falls, Minn.	Harry Sailor	5
108	Kirksville, Mo.	Thomas L. Wall	37
114	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
		Harry Sailor	5
116	Thule, Greenland	Donald Anderson	179
119	Lincoln, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
145	Hartshorne, Dow & other northeastern Oklahoma towns	Horace M. Moser	31
		Thomas L. Wall	37
		Mrs. N.J. Keel	80
		Charles Ross	42
152	Cavite, Corregidor, Philippine Islands	Duane H. Feisel	108
		R.A. Baskette	205
159	Old Colorado Ghost Town	Paul Stewart	2
160	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson	179
		Harry Sailor	5
		Thomas L. Wall	37
161	New York, N.Y.	R.A. Baskette	205

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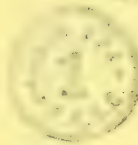


VERY FINE
FILAGREE



GOOD FOR 25¢
IN TRADE

#210



GOOD FOR
1 P.C.H.S.C.



#211



F B

#212



GOOD FOR
10¢
IN TRADE



A. TURAK
SH 5655
3146 W. 14TH ST.

#213



D. B. M

#214



U-B

#215



CHAS. BICK & CO
DEALERS IN
CHICAGO



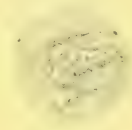
GOOD FOR 5¢
GEO. NEWER
IN TRADE

#216



961

#217



M.N. CO
25
H.S.

#218



KROENING'S

#219



LORENCE
REC.

#220



BOBBOBO

#221



AL'S
PLACE

#222



MN CO
100
H.S.

#223



GOOD FOR
6¢ IN TRADE

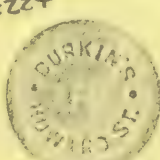


DURKIN'S
121 HOWARD ST

#224



GOOD FOR
6¢ IN TRADE



DURKIN'S
121 HOWARD ST

#225



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WAB

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBSERVE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO
226	HAROLD/H.B./R.	SAME	20	br,ss rd.	27
227	SELBY/FIN/&DALE	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
228	CONKLIN'S	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
229	VI/xx/VIII	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
230	CORNER/565 PAYNE/AVE./BAR	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
231	J J K	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
232	BYER'S/FAR	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
233	ARLINGTON/L-G/CAFE	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
234	JACK/K-K/BOB	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
235	TOM/444/GUSSIE	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
236	J/408/c	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
237	599/PAUL'S/NO. DALE	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
238	D H R	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
239	ROXY/BAR	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
240	468/LOU	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
241	TED BIES/353/UNIVERSITY	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
242	501	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
243	COMO/CR/REC.	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27
244	WOLVE'S/DEN	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
245	T/266/UNIV.AVE./G	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
246	JOHN/M/MAUER	SAME	20	br, rd.	27
247	H/Z/G	SAME	20	wh,met, rd.	27

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
248	ANN & FRANS/310/UNIV.	PLACE SAINTE	20	un. met. rd.	27
249	THORNES/CAFE	SAME	20	un. met. rd.	27
250	ACE/BOX/BAR	SAME	20	un. met. rd.	27
251	TUNNEL TAVERN/T.T./293 SELBY	SAME	20	br. rd.	27
252	PASTIME/HANNA & O'NEILL	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
253	BELLS/NOVELTY/CO.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN/MOSE/AT RETAIL	20	br. rd.	187
254	L & B	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
255	OWYHEE BUFFET	GOOD FOR 12½¢/IN TRADE	24	br. rd.	187
256	TIVOLI BAR/1207 PACIFIC AVE.	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
257	IRVING/SALES CO.	NO VALUE/FOR/AMUSEMENT ONLY	20	br. rd.	187
258	C. A. S. B.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	ALUM. rd.	187
259	B. B.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	19	ALUM. rd.	187
260	ISC	SAME	25	br. rd.	187
261	KING COLE/K/PHARMACY	SAME	20	br. rd.	187
262	THE NEVADA/C.V. DRAKE, PROP.	5	25	br. rd.	187
263	TIM HIGGINS/217/STATE ST.	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	19	ALUM. rd.	187
264	NATIONAL PIANO/MFG./CO.	GOOD FOR 1/PIECE OF MUSIC	20	br. rd.	187
265	AMERICAN/L.B.W. CO./36 E 1 ST ST.	GOOD FOR 2½¢/IN TRADE	24	br. rd.	187
266	HAYES SMOKE SHOP	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	187
267	5	GOOD FOR 5¢/MIXAIX/IN MOSE	23	br. rd.	203
268	CONSOLIDATED RACKET STORES BEST VALUES	GOOD FOR ONE CENT/IN MOSE	19	br. rd.	203
269	BARBER SHOP/20TH & GRAND/ A.L. HUTTINGER	GOOD FOR 5¢/IN TRADE	20	br. rd.	203



#270



F.M.B.CO./100 (counter-stamped)//GOOD FOR/1//GLASS (brass)



#271



C.H./WOLFE//GOOD FOR/5/AT BAR (brass, incused lettering)



#272



W. M. ORTH/ 1020 N. 320 ST.//GOOD FOR/5 cents/IN TRADE (zinc)



#273



LASSUS//GOOD FOR/5/CENTS (brass)

MAVERICK IDENTIFICATION

No.

Identified by

36. Spotted Calf Bar, Newport, Kentucky

Stanley L. Buckley
Newport, Kentucky

86. Houses Bakery, 612 Downey Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Lewis L. Egnew,
Port Townsend, Wash.

112. Froschheuser Cigar Store, 107 No. Lincoln Ave.
Hastings, Nebraska

George Niederauer
Miller, South Dakota

175. Ben Paris Recreation, Seattle, Wash.

Lewis L. Egnew

195. Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Co.
Hailey, Idaho

Frank Schell
Twin Falls, Idaho
Paul Stewart
Denver, Colorado

Denver, Colorado

Salt Lake City, Utah

John Cross
Orem, Utah
Paul Stewart
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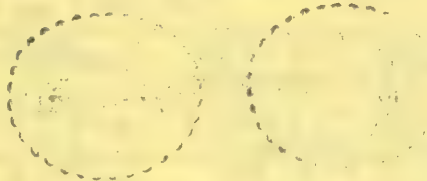
198. Rosslyn Hotel, Denver, Colorado

206. The Owl Saloon, 74 East 2nd South,
Salt Lake City, Utah

METCA

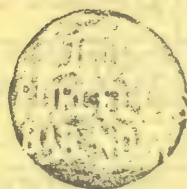
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ED. RIPPE
GOOD FOR 5¢/AT THE BAR
(all letters incuse)

#278



10/PURCELL'S/
BAR NO.1 (Brass,
plain reverse)

#275



H.C. GERNES/PROP./OF THE/BAR/
163 E.3rd ST.
GOOD FOR/5¢/IN TRADE

#279



KRIEGS PHARMACY
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

#280



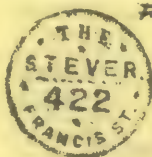
CURTIN
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN MERCHANDISE

#276



ORPHEUM BILLIARDS/21 1/2¢/
IN TRADE/A.E.SCHMIDT CO./
ST. LOUIS/NO. (brass)

#277



THE STEVER 422 FRANCIS ST.
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

#281



CAMP SULLY EXCHANGE
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

Maverick Owners:

#274 & 275 by METCA #5

#276 & 278 by METCA #65

#277 & 279, 280, 281 by METCA #81

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
282	H (STENCIL CUT) / 2 1/2 ¢ (INCUSE)	?	19	COPPER rd.	203
283	ROBERTSON'S DRUG/. & / JEWELRY / CO.	GOOD FOR / 12 1/2 / IN / MERCHANDISE	24	brass rd.	163
284	FAIR	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	Alum rd.	163
285	THE PALACE / POOL / RESTAURANT	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
286	D. S. / BAKER	GOOD FOR / 10 / ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
287	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ IN TRADE / AT / O + K +	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	25	Alum rd.	163
288	NIELSEN'S / POOL / HALL	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	22	Alum. rd.	163
289	PASTIME AMUSEMENT / PARLORS (STAR CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
290	Mc / A. S. C.	GOOD FOR / 25 ¢ / IN TRADE	24	brass rd.	163
291	Mc / A. S. C.	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
292	3 - K	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	22	brass rd.	163
293	J. A	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
294	G. W. / BROWN	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
295	FORD & FISKE (CIRCLE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
296	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / J. H. / IN TRADE	5	21	Alum rd.	163
297	JACK 'N BOX	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
298	C. W. T.	GOOD FOR / 6 1/4 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
299	BROOKS AND POWELL (SQUARE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
300	THE / ASTOR / CLUB	ARK'S / PLACE	21	brass rd.	163
301	OFFICE / POOL ROOM (CIRCLE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
302	D. L. C. / 57	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ / 57 / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
303	FREDDIES	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163

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304	BUSS	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
305	BAGS / & / BILL	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
306	GOOD FOR 5¢ / 101 / IN TRADE	SAME	21	brass rd.	163
307	S.L. / BILLIARD / SALOON	5 / CTS. (WITHIN 10 STAR)	21	wh. metal rd.	37
308	J.W. SHEERER + CO. / 20	BRAYAGE / 20 / CENTS	30	brass rd.	37
309	GUTH	10 CHECKS / GOOD / FOR / 1 PINT	23	brass rd.	37
310	HAER & HAGERMAN	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	37
311	VALE EN EFECTOS EN LA TIENDA / 2 / DE RAYA	CIA MINERA DE / 2 / SAN ANDRES DE LA SIERRA	24	odd wh. metal rd.	37
312	W.R. WILSON / 1 ⁰⁰	IN TRADE / 1 ⁰⁰ / PAT. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	35	brass rd.	37
313	S. POTTER / \$ 1 ⁰⁰	COPYRIGHT / \$ 1 ⁰⁰ / IN TRADE	35	brass rd.	37
314	INDIAN HEAD w FEATHER HEADRESS	DOCK'S PLACE / GOOD FOR / 5¢	25	brass rd.	37
315	THE BRUNSWICK BALKE COLLENDER CO. / CHECK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / CHAS. DAHNKE / IN / TRADE	25	brass rd.	37
316	BLANK	KUESER'S BUFFET / GOOD FOR / 2 1/2 ¢ / JEFF. & PARK	20	brass rd.	37
317	S.G. ADAMS / S. & S. CO. / ST. LOUIS	LACEWELL PROV. CO. / 1 PT. / MILK	23	brass rd.	37
318	ROYAL MUSIC HALL / 5¢	SAME	23	brass rd.	37
319	S.M.B.C. (PENNANT WITH 1 STAR)	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	alum rd.	37
320	EDGEWATER GULF HOTEL / CHILD / SWIMMING POOL	SAME	26	black- colored rd.	37
321	THE HOLT COAL CO. / NOT TRANSFERABLE	10 ¢	25	brass rd.	37
322	THE ALBANY BAR / 625 S. ADAMS ST. (SHAMROCK CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR 5¢ / AT THE BAR	21	brass rd.	37
323	C.F.W. LEUTZ / 5	5	23	brass rd.	37
324	W.F. PAMPLIN / 1 ⁰⁰	IN TRADE / 1 ⁰⁰ / PATD. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	35	white metal rd.	37
325	NICK SANDRO / ITALIAN / INTERPRETER	GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	37

MAVERICK IDENTIFICATION

No.		IDENTIFIED BY
202	Cigarette Token	John Calhoun
214	Universal Bar, 2424 University Ave. St. Paul, Minn.	Cataldo, Idaho Harry Sailor
218	St. Paul, Minn.	Warren, Minn.
219	Large bar and bowling alley in St. Paul, Minn. Still in business.	Harry Sailor Donald Anderson
221	South St. Paul, Minn.	Minneapolis, Minn.
223	Spokane, Wash. This establishment later	Harry Sailor
224	became known as Durkin & Ulrich at 415 Main St. in Spokane where it is still in business today as Ulrich's	John Calhoun Irene Alexander
225	St. Paul, Minn.	Spokane, Wash.
227	Selby Ave. & Dale St., St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
230	St. Paul, Minn.	Dick Grinolds Minneapolis, Minn.
233	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
237	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
239	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds, Sailor
241	Liquor store in St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
242	'Nickel Joint' St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
243	Bar now, no longer bowling, St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
244	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
245	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
246	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
248	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
249	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
250	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Sailor
251	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
252	Klamath Falls, Oregon	Anderson, Grinolds, Sailor
256	Tacoma, Washington	John Calhoun John Calhoun

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Mavericks

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#278



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BAR NO.1 (Brass,
plain reverse)

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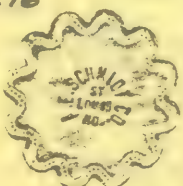
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284	FAIR	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	Alum rd.	163
285	THE PALACE / POOL / RESTAURANT	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
286	D.S. / BAKER	GOOD FOR / 10 ¢ / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
287	GOOD FOR 5 ¢ IN TRADE / AT / O.K.	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	25	Alum rd.	163
288	NIELSEN'S / POOL / HALL	GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE	22	Alum. rd.	163
289	PASTIME AMUSEMENT / PARLORS (STAR CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	163
290	Mc / A.S.C.	GOOD FOR / 25 ¢ / IN TRADE	24	brass rd.	163
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306	GOOD FOR 5¢ / 101 / IN TRADE	SAME	21	brass rd.	163
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314	INDIAN HEAD w FEATHER HEADRESS	DOCK'S PLACE / GOOD FOR / 5¢	25	brass rd.	37
315	THE BRUNSWICK BALKE COLLENDER CO. / CHECK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / CHAS. DAHNKE / IN / TRADE	25	brass rd.	37
316	BLANK	KUESER'S BUFFET / GOOD FOR / 2 1/2¢ / JEFF. & PARK	20	brass rd.	37
317	S.G. ADAMS / S. & S. Co. / ST. LOUIS	LACEWELL PROV. CO. / 1 PT. / MILK	23	brass rd.	37
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324	W.F. PAMPLIN / 1 ⁰⁰	IN TRADE / 1 ⁰⁰ / PATD. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	35	white metal rd.	37
325	NICK SANDRO / ITALIAN / INTERPRETER	GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	37

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No.		IDENTIFIED BY
202	Cigarette Token	John Calhoun
214	Universal Bar, 2424 University Ave. St. Paul, Minn.	Cataldo, Idaho Harry Sailor
218	St. Paul, Minn.	Warren, Minn.
219	Large bar and bowling alley in St. Paul, Minn. Still in business.	Harry Sailor Donald Anderson Minneapolis, Minn.
221	South St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
223	Spokane, Wash. This establishment later	John Calhoun
224	became known as Durkin & Ulrich at 415 Main St. in Spokane where it is still in business today as Ulrich's	Irene Alexander Spokane, Wash.
225	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
227	Selby Ave. & Dale St., St. Paul, Minn.	Dick Grinolds Minneapolis, Minn.
230	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor Donald Anderson Dick Grinolds Harry Sailor
233	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
237	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds, Sailor
239	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
241	Liquor store in St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
242	'Nickel Joint' St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
243	Bar now, no longer bowling, St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
244	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
245	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
246	St. Paul, Minn.	Harry Sailor
248	Former bar in St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds
249	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Sailor
250	St. Paul, Minn.	Donald Anderson
251	St. Paul, Minn.	Anderson, Grinolds, Sailor
252	Klamath Falls, Oregon	John Calhoun
256	Tacoma, Washington	John Calhoun

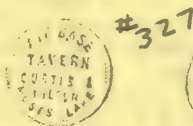
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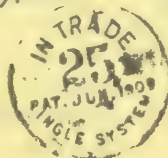
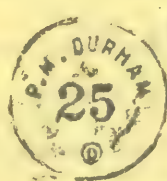
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GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE



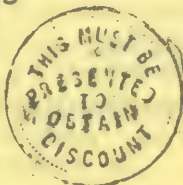
Carolina Stores, Inc. No. 1
non-transferrable



AIR BASE TAVERN CURTIS AND WILSON
MOSES LAKE
10¢



brass
P.M. Durham In trade
25 25
Ingle System



The W.A. Riddle
Co. Stockholder
30¢

This must be
presented to
obtain discount

BRASS:
21MM



OBVERSE: THE NEW COMSTOCK or
GRAND PACIFIC BAR

REVERSE: Good for 12½¢ in trade.

Maverick Owners:

#326 & 327 by METCA #81
#328, 330 & 331 by METCA #56
#329 by METCA #226

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M. M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
332	L.O.O.M./No. 200	SPECIAL	20	Brass rd.	250
333	AT/PALACE/POOL ROOM	GOOD FOR/ 2 1/2¢/ IN TRADE	25	Brass rd.	250
334	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ H. BRO- DERSON/ DRINK	5	24	Brass rd.	250
335	BUZZARDS/ROOST/CIGAR STORE/ HILGER BROS.	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	24	Alum. rd.	250
336	C.P./DANCE CHECK	BLANK	28	Alum. SCALLOPED	250
337	SIGN OF THE TURK/ CHALONER'S	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	28	Brass HEART SHAPE	250
338	ARTEMIS/ 1	BLANK	26	brass rd.	250
339	B.P.O.E./ 1023	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	21	brass rd.	250
340	BARNES/ &/ RENFRO	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	24	Alum. rd.	250
341	BEK'S/CASA LOMA	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	250
342	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ W. FRITZ/ IN/ TRADE	5 IN CIRCLE OF STARS	25	brass rd.	7
343	DW. SW. FLORYANA/ C.O.F./ No. 1284	5	24	brass rd.	7
344	I.N. LITTLE	GOOD FOR/ 1/ QUART OF MILK	24	brass rd.	7
345	K.S. LUCAS/ COL. STEEL/ CLUBHOUSE	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE "OVERSTAMPED" 4	20	brass rd.	19
346	OTAY BAR/ AND/ POOL HALL/ 544/ 5 TH ST.	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	25	Alum. OCTAGON	46
347	MILLERS/ COACHES	SAME	20	white metal rd.	46
348	MODEL BILLIARDS/ 1322/ DOUGLAS ST.	GOOD FOR/ 25¢/ IN MERCHANDISE	25	Alum. OCTAGON	46
349	LOUNGE COW PALACE/ 5¢	SAME	20	brass rd.	46
350	MICK'S/ BILLIARDS	GOOD FOR/ 10/ IN MERCHANDISE	20	Alum. rd.	46
351	E.O. BERHELMAN/ PHONE/ MAIN 3307	AUTOMATIC/ MUSICAL CO./ 14 W. THIRD ST.	20	Brass rd.	174
352	JACOB/ CHARNIK	GOOD FOR/ 5¢/ IN TRADE	20	white metal rd.	174
353	MURPHY'S/ 335/ SHELTON/ AVE./ TAVERN	GOOD FOR/ 10¢/ IN TRADE	16	Alum. rd.	174

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBVERSE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
354	3 STARS/DEER'S HEAD W ANTLERS/ M.O.	SAME	20	brass rd.	250
355	THE/BRUNSWICK/BALKE/ COLLENDER CO.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ WM./ SCHAEFER	25	brass rd.	250
356	GAZABO/901/ HULBURT ST.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	250
357	HARRY C. JENSEN/135 S. LA- SALLE ST./IMPORTED CIGARS/ & EVERYTHING FOR SMOKERS	GOOD FOR/10¢/ IN TRADE	23	Alum. rd.	250
358	106 / CO.	GOOD FOR/ONE/ GAME POOL	20	brass rd.	250
359	K/20/POOL	5 ¢	20	brass rd.	250
360	ELEPHANT	HAYS/5¢	21	white metal rd.	250
361	AT THE HOME POOL (FIVE CUT-OUT)	GOOD FOR/5 (CUT- OUT)/IN MERCHANDISE	25	brass square	250
362	HOWARD'S/V/SMOKE HOUSE	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	250
363	GOOD FOR/1/GALLON/ WILL R. JONES	BLANK	25 x 17	brass OVAL	250
364	KLU/KLUX/KLUB	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum. rd.	250
365	AT/MELROSE/CIGAR/ STORE	GOOD FOR/5/ IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	250
366	F.G. MILIGAN/5¢/ TRADE	SAME	20	brass rd.	250
367	DINTY MOORE'S/ PLACE	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	21	Alum. rd.	250
368	W.L. BELT DRUG CO./ 5¢/IN TRADE	SAME	20	brass rd.	250
369	GOOD FOR/5¢/L. BISCHEL/IN TRADE	5	26	brass OCTAGON	250
370	J. BOIST/322 5 th ST.	GOOD FOR/5¢/ AT THE BAR	20	brass rd.	250
371	BRAUNSPORT/BILLIARD/ ROOM	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	20	Alum. rd.	250
372	SYMES/BUILDING/BUFFET	12 1/2 / CENTS	21	white metal rd.	250
373	WM. H. WEYEN	GOOD FOR/5¢/ IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	250
374	ROB./YORK	2 1/2 ¢ / IN TRADE	25	brass rd.	250
375	(MAN ON HORSE BACK) G. S.	GRANDSTAND/5¢	23	brass rd.	250

MAVERICK NUMBER	OBSERVE	REVERSE	M.M.	METAL	OWNER METCA NO.
376	L. / TOUTLOFF	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	brass rd.	174
377	J.W. GILREATH / 100	IN TRADE / 100 / PAT. JUN. 1909 / INGLE SYSTEM	34	COPPER rd.	174
378	BOLLING & GOEHLING / HANCOCK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE AT THE BAR	20	brass rd.	174
379	GOOD FOR FIVE CENTS / A / IN TRADE	SAME	20	brass rd.	174
380	ADVERTISING KEENEY'S REFRESH MINTS	GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE (OCTAGONAL CUT-OUT)	20	brass rd.	174
381	PIONEER / MERCANTILE COMPANY	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / IN TRADE	20	rd.	27
382	THE BRUNSWICH-BALKE COLLENDER / CHECK	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / C.E. WEAVER / IN / TRADE	25	brass OCT.	203
383	THE / CIRCLE	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / WITH BOTTLE	19	brass rd.	203
384	J.G.C. / 1 (INCUSE)	BLANK	20	rd.	149
385	FREE RIDE / C.L.A. / AND SHOP	SAME	22	rd.	149

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	F. McCarrier / 5¢ (listed in Feb. 1971 list)	Santa Cruz, Cal. Charles V. Kappen San Jose, Cal.
81	The Bowery, Los Angeles, Cal.	Charles V. Kappen
130	Silent Salesman Co. Indianapolis, Indiana	Tom Hitt Aurora, Colorado
203	Libby / Blue Island Blue Island, Illinois	Tom Wall East Alton, Ill.
212	A. Turak, Cleveland, Ohio	Tom Wall
264	National Piano Mfg. Co., San Francisco, Cal.	Charles V. Kappen
266	Hayes Smoke Shop, Healdsburg, California	Charles V. Kappen
308	J.W. Sheerer & Co., Memphis, Tennessee (listed by Miller as Tenn. #39)	Tom Wall
311	San Andres de la Sierra, Mexico	John L. Cross Orem, Utah
312	W.R. Wilson, Douglas, Georgia	Tom Wall
316	Kueser's Buffet, St. Louis, Missouri	Tom Wall
321	The Holt Coal Co., Cleaton, Kentucky	Tom Wall

